

MANY FIRES FOLLOW GOLD WAVE

FIREMAN KILLED
BY FALLING WALL

Boston Store Destroyed—Switch
Tower in Boston Burned—
Coney Island Threatened—
\$100,000 Fire at Providence

BOSTON, Jan. 14.—The fireman killed by a falling wall at the fire which destroyed Bacon's department store on Washington street in the Roxbury district early today was identified as Joseph A. Hackett, a driver. The blaze, which caused a loss of \$150,000, was fought under difficulties seldom encountered in this city. With the temperature at ten below zero, water instantly turned to ice and the firemen had to work in relays, stopping frequently to break the ice which encased their suits and helmets. This was the most serious of nearly fifty fires which sent the firemen into the blizzards during yesterday and last night. Many were caused by torches used to thaw water pipes and others by defective chimneys. Frozen hydrants hampered the firemen in many instances.

BURNING OF SWITCH TOWER OUT-
SIDE OF NO. STATION, BOSTON.
TIED UP TRAINS

BOSTON, Jan. 14.—The burning of a switch tower 100 yards outside of the North Union station placed an additional handicap on the train service of the Boston & Maine road today. The cold weather had curtailed the service considerably but the greater part of the morning rush from the suburbs was over when the tower was burned. Four men in the building had some difficulty in escaping.

The yard was blocked completely and passengers were obliged to take and leave trains at East Somerville, two miles outside of the station. The Boston & Maine officials said they would have the station in operation by noon.

LOSS OF \$100,000 CAUSE BY FIRE IN
MANUFACTURERS' BUILDING
IN PROVIDENCE

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Jan. 14.—A loss of \$100,000 was caused today by a fire in the Manufacturers' building, a large seven-story brick structure occupied by about 20 manufacturing jewelers and located at Sabin, Mason and Alborn streets. The fire started before any of the tenants and operatives had arrived and burned about four hours before it was extinguished. It is believed that the fire started in the shop of the Bellanca Mfg. Co. on the sixth floor and while the flames only reached

the fifth, sixth and seventh floors, practically all of the other establishments were considerably damaged by smoke and water.

CONEY ISLAND THREATENED WITH
DESTRUCTION EARLY
TODAY

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Fanned by a high wind, a fire that destroyed the Rosebud hotel and a dozen smaller frame buildings on the Bowery at Coney Island early today threatened for a time to sweep the famous amusement resort. Two alarms brought firemen from many Brooklyn stations and after a hard fight of two hours the flames were placed under control.

LOWELL HIT HARD
By the Cold Weather—
Record of Low Tem-
peratures Last Night

Cold such as Lowell has not known for over 10 years struck the city Monday night and brought with it considerable pain and suffering. Yesterday was registered as the coldest day of the present season but according to reports from the suburbs today, all records were broken, although the northwest wind is not quite so disconcerting.

Although no deaths have been recorded in this city on account of the cold weather, the hospitals have treated many persons for frost bites. Fires have resulted from desperate efforts of the people to get their homes and places of business warm and pipes in hundreds of houses have been frozen, making it impossible for the occupants to get water for several hours. Probably more freeze-outs were reported at the various plumbing shops during the past two days than in any two days for over twenty years.

The trains have been delayed to a certain extent because the engineers could not get up steam enough and the street car service has also been affected. The motorman on the first car bound for North Billerica this morning discovered that a trolley who had snapped during the night and it is believed that this was caused by the continued cold weather.

In the suburban towns schools had to be closed because the janitors found it impossible to heat the buildings and the pupils were sent to their homes to spend the day. The Howe school at Billerica was one of those that was forced to close its doors and many of the children, especially the smaller ones were unable to stand the temperature in the country schools in Lowell's suburbs.

At no time from Monday evening until this morning when the winds went down and the sun appeared did the mercury go above the zero mark, while yesterday in Merrimack square the thermometers registered between five and ten degrees below.

However, the mercury needles are rising today and it is believed that the suffering will not be so great as yesterday. According to reports from various places the temperature was a little colder this morning at sunrise than yesterday at the same hour and today will probably be recorded as the coldest day of the winter of 1913-14.

At the pumping station on the Bowery the morning the thermometer read 12 degrees below zero the same as yesterday, but in Chelmsford Center it was reported to be 14 below about two degrees colder than yesterday morning. At South Chelmsford, a place more exposed than Chelmsford Center, the record was 13 below this morning, while at the Talbot mills, North Billerica, the mercury needle was 16 below.

Residents of Pawtucketville report 15 below this morning while in other outlying sections of the city, including the Andover street district, the temperature was above the zero mark. In Merrimack square early this morning the thermometers read 10 below, but the temperature continued to rise and shortly before noon the mercury was above zero.

McMANMON NURSERY
DESTROYED BY FIRE

The Dwelling and Barn Were Also
Burned — Supt. Saunders Could Not
Send Any Help to Fight Fire

A disastrous fire occurred last night at the home and nursery of James J. McManmon in Brookside, Dracut, and before the flames were extinguished the well appointed residence of the local florist and his barn were entirely destroyed, while the nursery and stock were badly damaged. The loss is estimated at about \$20,000. How the fire started is not known, but it is believed it was caused through an overheated boiler in the cellar of the house. When the flames were discovered a hurried call was sent to the local fire department, but Chief Saunders absolutely refused to allow his men to go to the scene of the conflagration, giving for reasons that the city could not remain without protection, and also that the trip to Brookside would be a hazardous one on the part of the members of the department on account of the dark, slippery roads. As last appeal Mayor Murphy was called up by telephone, but after the chief magistrate had talked the matter over with the chief, he decided not to take a hand in the matter.

A call for volunteers was sent through the town and in a short time over 100 men had responded and all worked strenuously, but their efforts proved fruitless inasmuch as they were not equipped with the proper apparatus, and they had much difficulty in getting water, the only resource being the driven well and the brook running alongside of the house. It was a hopeless task to battle a fire under such conditions, but nevertheless all the men worked hard and showed great courage in their efforts to fight the flames. The housekeeper and the children, who were in the house, Mr. and Mrs. McManmon being in the city and the nursery was safely removed to a neighboring dwelling, but the exit from the burning house was a hurried one, for some of the children were in bed and they were forced to rush out in their night clothes.

Shortly after 7 o'clock the housekeeper saw a sheet of flames burst from the cellar and realized that a fire had started. She dressed the little ones, pulling them out of bed, and hurried to a neighbor's house, where she gave the alarm. Mr. McManmon was notified by tele-

phone that his property was afire and he hurried to the scene. It was then that a full call was sent to the local department. The alarm was sent all over the town and in a short time several members of the Dracut department arrived on the scene with several volunteers, armed with hand pumps and buckets. They got busy, but although they worked hard their efforts were fruitless. It is believed that had an adequate fire apparatus been on hand the barn and greenhouses could have been saved.

The barn was soon a sheet of flames and pretty soon the roof of the house fell in with a crash and a few minutes later the roof of the barn followed. The flames spread to the nursery and in order to check its spread a charge of dynamite was exploded near the center of the wood and glass building and with the untiring efforts of the volunteer firemen the fire was checked, but not before considerable damage had been caused to the green house and its contents. There was considerable livestock in the barn, but fortunately all were saved. The loss is estimated at about \$20,000, partly covered by insurance.

TERRIFIC SEAS SWEEP
NEW ENGLAND COAST

Vessels and Crews Missing—Relief
From the Intense Cold Weather
Promised by Tonight or Tomorrow

BOSTON, Jan. 14.—Although the northwest gale had abated somewhat today the New England coast was swept by terrific seas and shipping was endangered. Nothing had been learned early in the day as to what became of the crew of six men who abandoned the schooner John Paul, which was picked up by the revenue cutter Aushnet in Nantucket sound and afterward sank. The Aushnet which spent a busy day yesterday assisting distressed vessels stood by the schooner G. M. Porter, New York for Calais, during the night. The Porter was ashore on Kill Pond bay, off Bays River.

The British schooner Grota which disappeared after she had raised signals of distress near Half Moon shoal Monday night was still missing, as was the Nantucket fishing schooner Two Brothers, caught in the storm Monday off Sankaty Light.

The temperature remained below zero throughout New England. Trains were delayed by the difficulty in making steam and there was much suffering from frost bites.

NORTHFIELD, VT., REPORTED AS
COLDEST POINT IN NEW
ENGLAND

BOSTON, Jan. 14.—The crest of the first cold wave of the season passed over the New England states shortly before midnight, when lowest records were made at nearly all stations, although the extremes were somewhat short of previous marks.

The coldest point in New England from the weather bureau standpoint was Northfield, Vt., where 23 below zero was registered at 10 p. m. Nantucket, with a minimum of two below last night, was the warmest spot. The northwest gale continued to make itself felt throughout the section

today with a 30-mile gale at Cape Cod and at Eastport, Me.

The following were the official temperatures at 8 a. m. today with the minimum for each station during the night:

Town	8 a. m.	Minimum
Northfield Vt.	26 below	28 below
Burlington, Vt.	24 below	26 below
Greenfield, Me.	23 below	24 below
Concord, N. H.	10 below	18 below
Eastport, Me.	4 below	9 below
Boston	5 below	16 below
Hartford	6 below	5 below
Providence	zero	10 below
Nantucket	2 above	2 below
Block Island	1 above	4 below

RELIEF FROM COLD WEATHER OF
PAST TWO DAYS PROMISED
TONIGHT

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Relief from the intense cold weather, which has held the eastern and New England states in its grip for the past two days is promised tonight or tomorrow. Today, however, near-zero weather or low still prevails along the Middle and New Atlantic seaboard. Reports from the west early today indicated that the rising temperatures which brought relief there yesterday would reach the lake regions today and weather forecasters say they are extending eastward.

In New York state the lowest temperature reported—43 degrees below zero—was at Harrisville. Few towns in the northern and western sections of the state reported temperatures higher than 20 degrees below zero early today. New York City, which seldom experiences below-zero weather, touched a record mark at midnight at four degrees below. The number of dead officially recorded last night was nine, but police and health officials believe the total will greatly exceed that figure. Hundreds have received treatment at hospitals and thousands of homeless men and women have been sheltered in mission and municipal lodging houses. To add to the intensity of the cold a 60 mile gale blew all

of yesterday, not abating until last night. Because of the needs of the poor for coal 400 coal teamsters who have been on strike yesterday returned to work agreeing to leave their demands for increased pay to arbitration.

From all along the Atlantic coast, from Cape Hatteras to Cape Cod, reports of disasters to vessels kept filtering in during the day. The gale was said to be stripping the beaches with wrecks and taking many lives.

Three deaths, due to cold are reported from Philadelphia, where four deaths above zero was reached last night. Other points in Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Maryland reported zero weather and intense suffering. Fifteen teachers of the high school at Towanda, Pa., yesterday spent much time restoring 120 pupils who rode several hours, as usual to attend classes. The children were numb with cold, several fainting when they entered warm rooms.

Early today fire in a Bowery restaurant in this city threatened a lodging house in the same building and another adjoining it in which 300 men were sleeping, all of whom were driven to the street with little clothing to protect them. Other hotels opened their doors to the men.

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HARD NIGHT FOR
LOWELL FIREMEN

Six Alarms of Fire Responded to
Last Night and This Morning—
Quick Work Prevented Any
Serious Damage

The members of the Lowell fire department from Chief Saunders to the cadets, spent one of the hardest nights in their career last night while guarding the city from conflagrations.

Chilled to the bone by the frigid blizzards which beset them from all sides as they were hurried along on the fire vehicles, wet and half-frozen by the spray from the streams they directed against the threatened buildings and which hardened their clothing almost instantly into a mass of ice, the firemen put out no less than six fires between 10:35 last night and 3 o'clock this morning. It was the most strenuous ordeal for firemen that the local department has undergone in a long time.

Chimney Fell

Box 113 rang in on two different occasions. The alarm came from a bakery on Lewis street in which the chimney had been taken down and a makeshift smoke shaft erected temporarily. At 1:46 a. m. the department answered a summons to the bakery shop. The temporary chimney had fallen through the floor and gone through the floor of the shop in several places. The live coals of the fire had been scattered up in two or three spots.

The flames were soon extinguished by the half-frozen firemen, but several sparks had dropped through the floor and did not make their presence known until later. The second alarm came at 3:03 and was attended to as promptly as the first. Little damage was done to the bakery.

Hot Water Pipes Exploded

At 4:55 this morning more of an accident than a fire took place at the dwelling over Kennedy's variety store on Liberty street. Mrs. Lavery, the tenant, attempted to light a fire in her cooking range which carries a hot water attachment in the front. The water pipes were frozen up and when the fire started to burn, the stove blew up with a noise which aroused the neighbors in the vicinity.

Someone rang in the alarm from box 315 and the firemen hustled to the scene. The woman was badly cut up about the hands and feet and the fire fighters acted as first aid to the injured. There was seriously any blaze owing to the prompt response of the department.

Auto Truck on Fire

Just before 8 o'clock this morning the auto truck of the Gas company caught fire from the engine, while on the bridge above the railroad tracks on Chelmsford street. Box 31 was sound.

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ed but the flames were soon extinguished with practically no injury to the truck.

Blaze on Worthen Street
Box 18 rang in at 10:55 last night for a blaze in the house at 428 Worthen street. The building is owned by the Saco-Lowell shops. A bed and several small articles were burned before the flames were extinguished.

Box 125 rang in at 11:20 o'clock last night and was for a fire in a tenement block in Suffolk street. The damage was very small and the recall sounded almost as soon as the alarm.

New assembly dance, Asso., Friday.

FUNERAL NOTICE

McNAMARA—Died, in this city, Jan. 13 at his home, 18 North street, Joseph H. McNamara, aged 32 years. Funeral will take place from his home, 18 North street, Thursday morning at 8:15 o'clock. Funeral services at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock.

Minor's new novelties, Asso., Friday.

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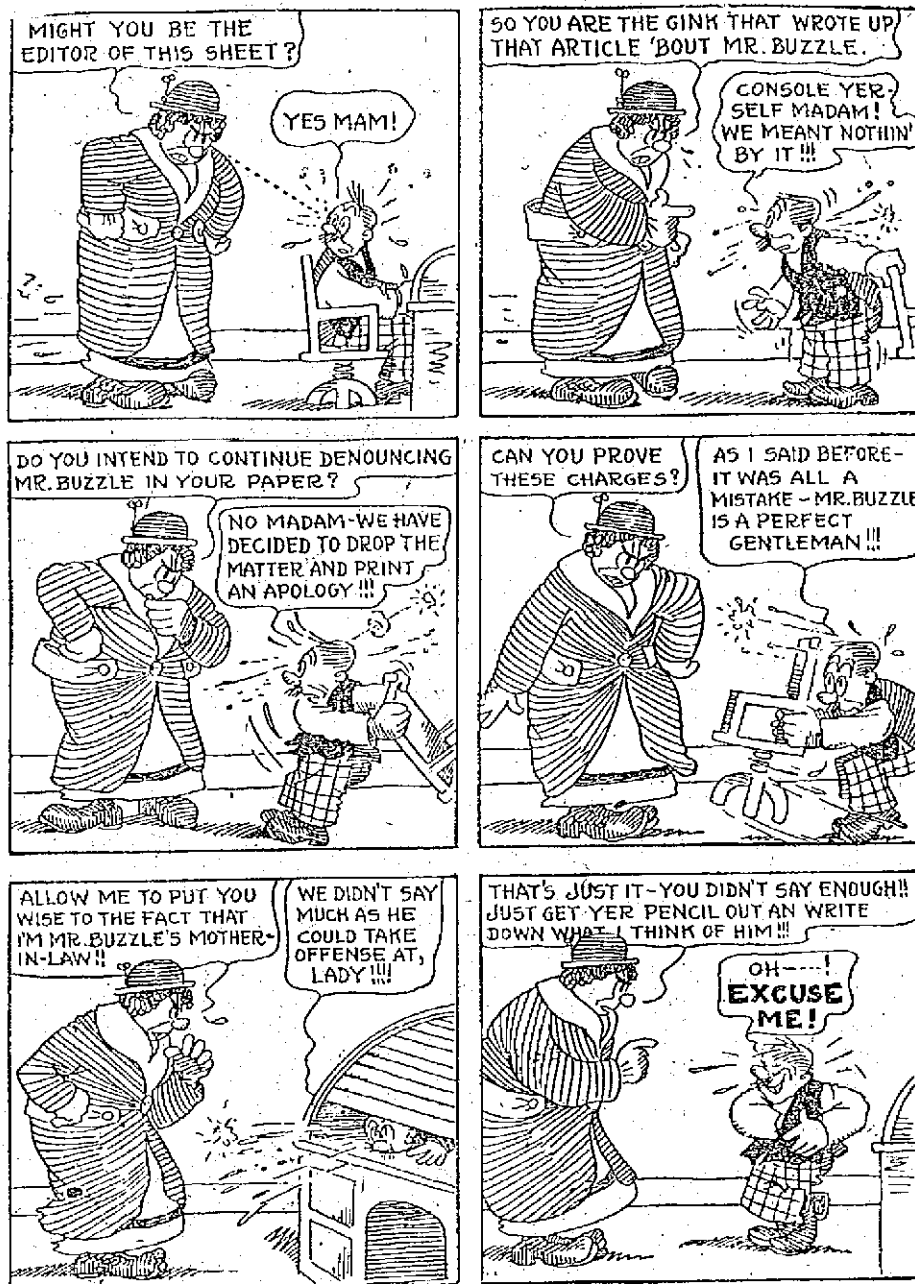
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HELD LIVELY MEETING

Park Board Members at Logger Heads—Attempt to Reduce Superintendent's Salary

The first meeting of the park board for 1914 was held last night and it was quite a lively one. Com. Carr had been saying up for it and he made some pretty broad statements. He said there were snafus in the park department and that the department should be weeded or cleaned out. He averred that if he should conduct his business as the park department in conducted the red flag would soon make its appearance over his door. Mr. Carr waxed warm because of some reference to his brother-in-law by Commissioner Rountree, but Mr. Rountree disclaimed any intent at special reference to the man in question.

Dr. Mignault moved that the pay of the superintendent of parks be reduced to \$1000 and Chairman Greene allowed that would be a polite way of asking the superintendent to resign. Dr. Mignault thought the superintendent's pay as at present, \$1600, was too much for the appropriation but despite the doctor's desire to reduce the superintendent's pay he advocated the hiring of a foreman at \$1000 a year or thereabouts to assist the superintendent. The doctor's philosophy didn't appeal to the chairman. Commissioners Carr and Mills were in favor, too, of reducing the superintendent's pay but the matter was allowed to go over till such time as the municipal council passes out the appropriations for the year.

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removal of boulders at Shedd park near Rogers and Baylston streets, which work has changed for the better the whole appearance of the park.

We have also planned and worked over a plot of ground on the west side of Fort Hill park for a nursery and already have planted several hundred shrubs and trees which later can be used in the parks or planted as shade trees in the streets. This is the beginning of an effort to adequately provide shade trees, with the idea of selling at cost or of giving away to those who will plant them under the direction of the department, as is done in many other cities.

An important part of our work is the care of the street trees, but on account of the small yearly appropriation, it has been impossible to do any aggressive work and we have simply been able to try to keep the dead limbs trimmed and the dead and dangerous trees cut down, and the best we can do have never been able to get the work caught up. There are still over 374 trees that are dangerous and ought to come down at once. In the 11 years of our history we have cut down over 229 trees and planted less than 28. In order to make sure that the future well shall be provided with trees, we would recommend that no new streets be accepted by the council that did not allow at least three feet between the curb-stone and sidewalk for trees and grass, also that trees must be planted and protected before the street is accepted.

Playgrounds

We wish to emphasize the importance to the children of the city, of supervised play. The work of the past summer was for the most part up to the former high standard, and in the industrial work we think the best ever. The exhibit of the work of the children held in one of the downtown stores was attended by thousands.

Small Squares

For the first time in many years no new square has been improved and added to the 17 we already have, although efforts were made to have the city council purchase the square at the junction of Gorham and Carlisle streets consisting of about 1400 feet and at a cost of only \$160. We sincerely hope your honorable body will see fit to give to the citizens this most important improvement this year.

Billboards

In our efforts to beautify the city we have worked consistently from the beginning, when we started the campaign against billboards, by ordering down all such disfigurement built about the street trees. Each year has marked progress and we are glad to record that the past year has seen the last of the great billboards that for years have marred the beauty of the city. The work of the year has been mostly in maintenance, with the exception of much-needed regrading at the South common near Summer and Thorndike streets, together with grading and the

We wish to thank our new superintendent, Mr. John W. Kernan, for the faithful and efficient manner in which he has conducted the work of the department.

Respectfully submitted,
Harvey B. Greene,
Henry F. Carr,
Alexander E. Rountree,
John H. Mills,
Rodrigue Mignault.

Money for the Year

Estimates of money needed for the year were discussed. The acquisition of the triangular plot of ground at the junction of Gorham and Carlisle streets was talked over. Chairman Greene said the city should certainly acquire it and Mr. Mills came across the way and said that certain parties were trying to get it for a stone shed. Mr. Greene said it would be a disgrace to erect a stone shed in the

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place. It was decided to bring the matter later to the attention of the municipal council.

The board decided to ask for \$2500 for the care of trees. "We'll get it, I don't think," said Mr. Mills. Last year the sum of \$300 was voted. Mr. Carr said that the appropriations allowed the park department in the past were insufficient. He spoke of the South common where but one man was employed to look after about 22 acres, and the North common where one man cared for 11-13 acres. He then moved that the commission ask for \$1000 for labor, instead of \$300 as was originally suggested. Dr. Mignault seconded the motion.

Mr. Carr complained of a practice indulged in by skaters at Shedd park. They form what is known as the "whip and knock" people down," he said. He spoke of a young man by the name of Corcoran who had his ankle either badly sprained or broken at Shedd park last Sunday. Mr. Carr said that the presence of a policeman was necessary to stop the practice.

Wants a Foreman

After some further conversation relative to Shedd park and the rink, Dr. Mignault said: "We were able to get along last year without a foreman in the department, but I don't think we should attempt to do it this year. I favor asking for \$10,000 for labor."

"We have asked for more money for 11 years," said the chairman, "and we have never succeeded in getting it." "You got after them on paper but you didn't force the issue. There has been too much soft soap and my dear Alphonse in this department," said Mr. Carr.

It was then voted to ask for \$12,000 for labor, bringing the total up to \$29,500 for the year.

Hiring a Horse

John G. Gordon, superintendent of north extermination, attended the meeting and John was wise enough, too, not to take off his overcoat. He was almost as cold in the park department's headquarters as in the street. Mr. Gordon wanted to hire a horse from the park department. He said that Commissioner Donnelly, who has charge of the north department, was willing to pay \$1 a day for a horse. Mr. Rountree wanted an employee of the park department to drive the horse. He said that a valuable horse belonging to the park department had been ruined on the South common by careless driving of a department car over \$300 for the horse and sold him, after his injury, for \$75. "I don't propose to have any more of our horses injured by incompetent handling," said Mr. Rountree.

It seems Mr. Carr thought that the driver referred to by Mr. Rountree was his Carr's brother-in-law and he asked the privilege to speak. Mr. Carr is more or less of a parliamentarian and he promised to stick close to Cushing.

"The big trouble with the park boards is," he said, "that they have all been dead ones and the department has been run by a nest on the inside. There is a sneak connected with this department who gave a story out to a newspaper to the effect that the pay of my brother-in-law had been raised. I did try to have his pay raised, but because he refused to play the part of a sucker his pay wasn't raised."

"Whereas a clique in this department has been running things for years and the clique ought to be cleaned out. There is no system in this department and never has been. What's been going on in this department for 10 years? You have been a lot of dead ones. Come into executive session now and I'll tell you a few things that will make your hair stand on end. There are men in this department who have abused me behind my back. One fellow said I looked more like a German than an Irishman and another called me names. It is our duty to discharge every man in the department with the exception of the superintendent and clerk. You need not think for one moment, gentlemen, that I am going to let here this year and see the same old game played."

Mr. Carr was looking at Mr. Rountree about this time and Mr. Rountree asked Mr. Carr if he was addressing his remarks to him.

"I am addressing the board," said Mr. Carr, "and I."

"If I am addressing the board don't be looking at me. You make me nervous," said Mr. Rountree.

Mr. Carr then referred to the little game of politics and declared that every man on the board with the exception of Mr. Mills had played politics. "Don't pick me up for a fool or a joker," he said, "if you don't get your hands burned."

There was much more talk and the board finally got back to the question of letting the moth department have a horse for \$1 a day and the board voted to let Mr. Gordon have the horse.

Reduction of Salary
The chairman asked if there was any other business before the board and Mr. Mignault said he wanted to speak about the superintendent's salary. He said he felt the salary was too large for the appropriation and he moved that it be reduced from \$1600 to \$1000. Mr. Carr said that the superintendent works long hours and that to reduce his salary to \$1000 would be a polite way of asking him to resign.

Dr. Mignault had said that he would favor employing a foreman and Mr. Rountree called his attention to the fact that a foreman would cost about \$275 a year and that would bring the salary list up to more than it is now. Chairman Greene said that no foreman was needed in the department. He said the superintendent can do the work all right and has done so for 12 years.

Mr. Carr said he would agree to \$1200 a year for the superintendent. The chairman said he felt that the superintendent was worth \$1600 a year. "I think if we can show the municipal council we are trying to reduce salaries then we may get more money," said Mr. Mills.

to the next meeting. Dr. Mignault wished to have the vote of the commission last spring, where by the superintendent hires and fires employees, rescinded.

"You will never have authority to enforce discipline unless you give to the superintendent the power to hire and discharge employees," said the chairman. "You can't have a new-headed department, whereby each member of the commission has an equal power in the matter of hiring and firing."

The matter was allowed to rest. Mr. Carr moved that Chairman Greene have a conference with the attorneys of the Shedd estate, to state the facts relative to the inability of the city to borrow money for park improvements. It was so voted and Mr. Carr was designated to accompany him.

Mr. Carr moved and it was voted that the Bay State Street Railway Co. be asked to supply a policeman for duty at Shedd park skating pond. Adjourned.

Superintendent's Report

John Woodbury Kernan, superintendent of parks, submitted the annual report of the park department to the park commission, yesterday.

Mr. Kernan took office in April last and his report deals with the work of the department since that time. He says there are many things he has in mind that he might suggest for the improvement of parks and commons but he says there isn't any use in suggesting them when there isn't any money to carry them out.

Relative to the West Centralville playground Mr. Kernan says: "After considerable agitation together with a public hearing before the municipal council for the acquiring of a park and playground in West Centralville, by the residents of that section, I prepared a plan at the suggestion of Alderman Cummings, showing a tract of land, with a frontage on Allen street extending along the northern bank of the Merrimack river to Beaver Brook and then easterly to Lakeview avenue, comprising approximately 25 acres, the property of the Locks and Canals."

At the request of Alderman Cummings I appeared before the members of the municipal council and presented the plan with assessed values, answering several questions pertaining to the location, etc.

Modern Bubble Fountain

There is nothing more appreciated in a public park now-a-days than a good cool drink of water, especially during the summer, and as many of our drink-fountains are antiquated, I would recommend that modern bubble fountains be installed as follows:—1 on South common, 3 on North common, 1 at Fort Hill Park, 1 at Shedd Park, 1 at Tyler park, and 1 at West Centralville park, making a total of 11 bubble

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TOILET GOODS

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UNDERPRICE BASEMENT

ANNUAL MARK DOWN ON

FINE DOWN AND WOOL PUFFS

DOWN PUFFS

PUFFS filled with fine down and covered with fine sateen, 6x6 feet and 6x7 feet, \$6.50 and \$5.00 value, at \$4.00 and \$5.00

FINE DOWN PUFFS covered with extra fine sateen, in very handsome patterns, filled with best down, size 6x7, \$7.50 value, at \$6.00

DOWN PUFFS filled with fine white down, size 6x6 and 6x7, covered with best quality of French sateen, \$9.00 value, at \$7.00 with figured silk center and plain color silk border, \$9.00 value, at \$8.00

FINE DOWN PUFF, covered with fine printed silk, also with plain color silk border to match, also figured silk covering with plain color silk lining, size 72x72 inches, \$12.50 value, at \$10.00 Each

FINEST QUALITY OF DOWN PUFFS filled with pure white down, covered with figured silk center with border to match, size 72x72, \$15.00 value, at \$11.50

WOOL PUFFS

WOOL PUFFS, silk lining covering, size 72x78, \$3.00 value, at \$2.25

WOOL PUFFS with silk lining center and plain color silk border, size 72x78, \$4.50 value, at \$3.25

WOOL PUFFS with silk muslin covering in handsome patterns, size 72x78, \$7.00 value, at \$5.00

FINE WOOL PUFFS filled with pure white lamb's wool, covered with figured silk center and plain color silk border, \$9.00 value, at \$6.50

FINE WOOL PUFFS covered with fine plain color silk, also printed silk with plain color silk lining, filling of best quality lamb's wool, \$10.00 value, at \$8.00

WOOL PUFFS filled with the very best quality of lamb's wool, covered with fine figured and printed sateen in large variety of patterns—\$12.50 value, at \$10.00

\$13.50 value, at \$10.50

\$15.00 value, at \$11.50

fountains for an approximate expense of \$1000.

I further recommend, aside from the regular appropriation for the coming year, \$4000 for concrete walks on the North and South commons and Fort Hill park, and \$1000 for grading the Rogers street front of Shedd park. I would also renew the recommendation made June 7th of last year, that a runabout be purchased for the use of the department. One drying horse won't begin to do the work and have it properly supervised. In addition to covering the park work, there are from eight to ten complaints daily on trees

work, that need inspection, many times in which the staff of the city, and when the playground season is on they require being visited two or three times a week to keep in touch with their wants, which are many. \$1000 was asked for to meet this expense. To sum up, (in addition to the regular appropriation of \$13,460 for maintenance) \$7500 is actually needed. Continued to last page

COLDS CAUSE HEADACHE AND GRIP
LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE TABLETS remove cause. There is only one "BROMO QUININE." It has a signature of D. W. GROVE on box. 25c

FOR LATE LOCAL AND TELEGRAPH
NEWS SEE LATER EDITIONS

From Yesterday's Late Editions

FOR REPORT OF TODAY'S CLOSING
STOCK MARKET SEE LATER EDITIONSDROWNED IN CONCORD
COUNCIL ACTS ON
PILLSBURY SITEBoy Went on Ice Late Yesterday
and Disappeared in Sight of
His Mother

Eight-year-old Fred Tarnabald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tarnabald of Clark's court, on Lawrence street, fell through the ice on the Concord river just below Rogers street yesterday afternoon about 4:15 o'clock and before aid could be summoned the youngster was drowned. The mother of the boy stood on the shore but a few yards from her boy when he was last seen to go under the ice but she could do nothing to rescue him.

The accident happened shortly after the boy had returned from school and he was with a couple of friends who were down to the river side, which is directly back of his home, and while on the ice along the edge of the river. It is understood that the boy

walked out a little farther than either of his companions and as the ice was not strong in that spot he broke through and was drowned. The other two boys screamed and attracted the attention of Mrs. Tarnabald and several others but the boy had disappeared under the surface before they could find a man to attempt to rescue him. At the time the mother stood on the bank she did not realize that it was her son although she got a glimpse of him struggling to hold to the edge of the ice. When she realized that her boy was drowned she was terribly overcome with grief.

Shortly after the accident occurred undertakers Higgins Bros. started to sample for the body and the search was continued until midnight, and then suspended until 5 o'clock this morning.

THE LOWELL GUILD PAID ALL HIS DEBTS

ANNUAL REPORT ISSUED BY
ANNIE R. MOER, THE PRESENT
MATRON

In the report of the Lowell Guild submitted by Annie R. Moer, the present matron, the work is reviewed and some suggestions made for the extension of the influence and utilities of the guild.

The matron thanks the benefactors of the institution for their kindly aid. The work of the district nurses and the milk station has been particularly valuable.

The officers for the present year are as follows: President, Mrs. Ida E. Merrill; vice-president, Mrs. James G. Hill; and vice-president, Mrs. Frederick G. Woodworth; assistant treasurer, Mrs. Arthur J. Munkland; clerk, Miss Mary G. Lamson; house committee, Mrs. Gardner W. Pearson; purchasing agent, Mrs. Wm. L. Robertson; milk station, Mrs. Robert K. Sharp; district nurses, Mrs. Robert P. Marden; conference committee, Mrs. Wm. T. Trull; friendly visitors, Miss Katherine Paulkner; girls' club, Miss Harriet Colburn; needlework, Mrs. Otis K. Humpage; infants' clothing, Mrs. C. C. Crench; sheets and pillow cases, Mrs. Josephine Wilbur; compresses, Mrs. J. M. Andrews.

PRESIDENT MAKES NOMINATION
WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—President Wilson early today prepared the nomination of John Skelton Williams of Virginia for controller of the currency and ex-officio member of the federal reserve board. The nomination is expected to be sent to the senate later in the day.

DROPPED DEAD IN CAR
BOSTON, Jan. 13.—Albert W. Martin, former superintendent of the Boston division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad and manager of the Boston Terminal company, which controls the South station, dropped dead last night on a street car. Mr. Martin had been in the service of the New Haven road 44 years when he retired two years ago. He was 62 years old.

DEATHS
REGAN.—Mrs. Elizabeth Regan, wife of Patrick Regan, the well known conductor of the Day State Street railway, died this morning at 647 Broadway. Besides her husband she leaves two children and three sisters. Mrs. Thomas Brady of Lowell and Miss Mary Brady of Ireland and a brother, Hugh Brady. The body was taken to her home, 32 Franklin street by Undertakers J. J. O'Donnell & Sons.

CORBURN—Died in this city, Jan. 13, at 11 Wachusett street, Ward A. Corburn, aged 65 years. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. John P. Corburn, and two daughters, Mrs. L. S. Sanders and Miss Abbie L. Corburn. He was a past grand of Oberlin lodge, I. O. O. F., being initiated Feb. 1848. He was also a member of the Pillbury North Lodge of Masons and Lowell Lodge of Owls.

FUNERAL NOTICES
KENNEY.—Died in this city, Jan. 12, at the Lowell hospital, George B. Kenney, aged 75 years. Funeral services will be held at her home, 16 Bleecher street, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

CORBURN—The funeral of Ward A. Corburn will take place from his home, 11 Wachusett street, Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Funeral services at the Pillbury North Lodge of Masons and Lowell Lodge of Owls.

LOCAL NEWS
The Boston Ice company suspended work on Crystal lake at North Chelmsford this morning on account of the cold.

T. C. Lee & Co. held the insurance on building and contents of Mr. Moody damaged by fire this morning.

Rev. Bro. Hernandez and Dr. C. J. O'Brien of Manchester street were yesterday the guests of the Marxist Brothers in Manchester, N. H.

RECEIVERS FOR COBBS CO.
BOSTON, Jan. 13.—Charles H. Japp, president of the Beacon Trust Co. and Clarence E. Clague of the Atlantic City, were appointed receivers for Cobbs Consolidated companies, grocers and restaurant keepers, by Judge Morton in the United States district court yesterday under a joint bond of \$10,000.

David Steneman, counsel for the creditors, who requested the appointment of the receivers, stated to the court that the consolidated companies were hopelessly insolvent.

NOTABLE CASE OF WHERE DEBTOR'S MEMORY REMAINED GOOD AFTER FIVE YEARS

A grocer, a landlord and a clothing man were astonished a few days ago when a former resident of this city entered their establishments and office and asked what his bill was, for he made a trip from Montreal, Que., to Lowell purposely to settle his old bills.

This man was employed in a local mill and five years ago he decided to try his luck in Montreal and in order to reach his destination he was forced to contract a few debts, but he assured his creditors he would return and make good.

Five years elapsed and during that time not a word was heard from the debtor, and the creditors had lost all hope of seeing him again. A few days ago, however, this man came to Lowell and settled all his debts, explaining that he had met with success in the Canadian metropolis and that his net thought was to come to Lowell and square off his bills. The grocer, landlord and clothing man are all of the opinion that there are very few who would travel 350 miles for the sake of paying their debts.

WILSON GREAT PRESIDENT

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—Thomas T. Ryan, appearing in the financial district in a snowstorm yesterday for the first time in several months, announced that the National Bank of Commerce, of which he is a stockholder, will join the federal reserve organization.

"I hope all the other national banks will do the same," he added. "The whole country is proud of President Wilson for the mastery with which he handled the most difficult situation and got results. I consider it the greatest achievement of any president since Lincoln. It would be unfair to him and ungrateful generally to the great measure he has evolved and made a fact."

"The only trust I know is trust the president. I am willing and glad to do that and so ought everybody to do, after what he has done. He is a great man and a great president and the greatest thing about him is that he will try to bring about."

Mr. Ryan is 58 years of age and rarely talks for publication.

THE ANIMAL DANCES

Judge Enright "Funks" Offenders in This Respect May Be Prosecuted as Lewd Persons

In the opinion of the Lowell police and the dances alleged to be objectionable can be conducted in a decent and respectable manner and it is with adequate supervision and restriction rather than their elimination which he will try to bring about.

The question of prosecuting the copies who deliberately attempt to convert the "tango," "grizzly bear," "bunny hug," "Turkey trot," or any other of the variously designated dances now so much in vogue among the halcyons of ball rooms and dance halls, into a dance where the actions of the couple are suggestive, will not be tolerated.

In the opinion of Supl. Welch, a man or a woman who deliberately attempts to bring innovations into a dance which are suggestive to such an extent that the morals of those present are liable to be lowered by the same is a lewd person and can be prosecuted.

If this is the case, then a system of inspection for all dances will of course be in order.

A single incident of rendition of one of these dances, in the opinion of Assistant Clerk Trull and the legal title, were present, would not form an action against which the police could cause an arrest, but a repetition would prove that the couple engaged in the outlandish dance were guilty of lewdness in their conduct in public.

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FOOTBALL GAMES

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—Negotiations are under way for a football game in this city next fall between Washington and Jefferson college and the Carlisle Indians.

If this game is arranged there will probably be three big games staged in New York. Brown and Cornell have already planned to play here and it is likely that the Army-Navy game will be played again at the Polo grounds.

After instructing the city clerk to notify the petitioners on the referendum to prevent the purchase of the Dr. Pillsbury estate for a contagious hospital site as to the insufficiency of names on the referendum papers, the municipal council, at a meeting held this forenoon, voted to rescind and repeal the action of the council for 1913 in voting to purchase the Dr. Pillsbury estate. There is some question as to the legality of the council's action, it being contended by Commissioner Brown and others that the referendum proceedings should have been disposed of before such action was taken. Former Commissioner Cummings also holds to this opinion.

Mayor Murphy called to order at 11:15 with all members present.

The following were appointed weighers and surveyors: John B. Drew, Gilbert Daineau, Walter C. Bruce, S. Henry Moore, John P. Quinn, Arthur T. Simpson and Michael P. Hetherman.

Francis J. O'Hara was appointed constable and his bond accepted.

Minor petitions for pole locations and wire attachments were properly referred, as were claims for personal injury.

Porter Street Extension
The report of the commissioner of streets and highways relative to the extension of Porter street from High street to Pleasant street was accepted, and the order accompanying it was read by the mayor.

Mr. Morse speaking to the order asked the date of the resolution and was told that it dated back to 1899. The date of the report, however, was Dec. 30. The order was laid upon the table for future consideration.

The annual reports of the superintendent of cemeteries and superintendent of moth extermination were accepted.

Transfers Allowed
The transfer of \$120,73 from different appropriations for fire house improvements was voted.

The recommendation of the municipal council for 1913 in the matter of claims for injury to persons and property was read by the mayor, together with the names of those who were given leave to withdraw. The matter was referred to the commissioner of public safety and the city solicitor. The government for 1913 recommended that the following claims be paid:

John P. Boyle, M. D., \$5; Pierre Deneau, M. D., \$12; James A. Byrne, \$35; John P. Carroll, \$30; A. P. French, \$10.18; Margaret E. Green, \$100; Michael Herlihy, \$45; Patrick J. Kierce, \$35; D. J. Leavy, \$25; Lillian LeClair, \$30; Edward Mooney, \$100; James Smith, \$100; Thomas B. Smith, M. D., \$4; George L. Van Dusen, M. D., \$15; Patrick J. Harrigan, \$5; Dr. James H. Sparks, \$25.45.

Pending Settlement
Those whose cases were not settled by the old government, but the evidence relating to them being now in the office of the solicitor, are as follows: Adams Hardware and Paint Co., Lauril R. Beady, Annie Burgh, Hollaway Amusement company, Mrs. L. A. Brown, Charles E. Cahill, Mrs. Dora Cassidy, Nellie Conaton, Patrick Corlin, William Delahanty, Stephen A. Dobbins, William H. Fuller, C. F. George & Co., Good Brothers Machinery Co., Mrs. David B. Hall, Mrs. Mary Kay, Fred Trotter, William M. Waterman, Louis Wolfe, Joseph Gargan, Lowell Trust Co., James P. Mehan, M. D., Maurice O'Connor, James Liston, Alden B. Halsey, Hon. J. Bond, Geo. A. Costello et al., Alexander J. Johnson, John P. Noyes, Cook, Taylor & Co., John Durand, Frank Daly, Timothy Keefe, Myor Klein, Joseph G. Lake, Mrs. Mary McFarlane, Isabella M. McAuley, John McElroy, Charles L. Morrison, J. J. Mealey, Napoleon Elliot, Jr., Thomas Moran, John E. Murphy, Frank T. Mussey, New England Road Machinery Co., Victor C. Salois, Mrs. John J. Shea, Thomas Smith, Percy E. Tamm, Katherine Tobey, P. F. Crawford Co., Lowell corporation, J. J. Platt, Matthew McNamara, George Moore, Estella Richardson, Peter Cielak, employees of Lowell Trust company, Frank J. Campbell, Berwin J. Cooney, Alex Jancovich & Co.

Leave to Withdraw
The following elements were given leave to withdraw:
James B. Arthur & Co., Fred and Frances Brooke, James G. Grinnard, Michael Bourke, Frank W. Stevens, Bennett Bros. Co., M. J. Gray, Eugene P. McCann, Scott & O'Day Co.

The Referendum Papers
Mayor Murphy then turned his attention to the referendum papers on the petitioners relative to the Dr. Pillsbury estate for an isolation hospital. The petitioners objected to the action of the council in 1913 appropriating \$21,000 for the purchase of that site. The mayor said that there was no precedent number of names to the petition and it was voted that the city clerk notify the petitioners of the insufficiency of names and that the papers be returned to the city clerk's office.

Commissioner Brown Opposed
Commissioner Brown questioned the legality of such action in view of the fact that referendum proceedings had not been completed.

"I feel," he said, "that this council ought not to take hasty action. This council has not visited the Pillsbury estate and in view of the fact that the court has said we must build a hospital, I think it behooves us to do so."

This matter should be placed upon the ballot. Let the matter be settled by the people. If we do this, I feel that the public will approve our action.

"We find an insufficiency of names to the petition and this fact ought not to be overlooked. The referendum proceedings should be lived up to in accordance with the language of the charter and if you allow this thing to go there is nothing to prevent, say 100 voters, from blocking any movement that might be on foot."

The mayor had assured Commissioner Brown that the council had the right to rescind the action of the former council, but Mr. Brown refused to yield an inch from being convinced, he said, "that the council's action in this matter is a legal one and I will wait for a year and a day vote."

Too Much Expense
Colonel Carmichael said the city could not stand the expense of \$21,000 for a hospital site. "We cannot afford houses that we cannot use," he said. "I am ready to vote to rescind the action of a former council."

Mr. Carmichael said that the money represented in the purchase price of the site in question would afford work for a great many men in the various departments.

The motion was finally put and carried, Commissioner Brown voting against.

MEXICO WILL NOT PAY

Government Will Default in Payment of Interest on Bonds Due This Month

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 13.—The Mexican government will default in the payment of the semi-annual interest on the bonds of the internal and external debts due this month, according to a decision reached at a cabinet council which lasted until late last night.

The decision of the council was announced by Querado Moreno, Mexican foreign minister, who declared he had been instructed to notify all foreign governments of the default.

The principal internal and external loans of Mexico are held for the most part in the United States, Great Britain, France and Germany. Their denunciations and dates of payment of the principal are as follows:

Consolidated international three per cent. silver bonds, coupons payable on June 20 and Dec. 31, \$42,325,250.

Five per cent. internal redeemable bonds, coupons payable April 1 and October 1, \$9,222,000.

Five per cent. external consolidated gold bond of 1898, coupons payable Jan. 1, April 1, July 1 and October 1, \$113,500,000.

Four per cent. gold bonds of 1904, coupons payable June 1 and December 1, \$10,000,000.

UNITED STATES TO INTERVIEW MEXICAN FUGITIVES AT PORT BLISS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—All the Mexican Federal soldiers now in the custody of the United States border patrol forces at Presidio, Tex., will be transferred to Port Bliss, near El Paso, and interned there indefinitely.

Sec. Garrison ordered the transfer late yesterday, with permission for the refugee women and children to accompany the soldiers if they desire.

There are about 3000 of the Mexican soldiers and men who fled across the Rio Grande when the victorious constitutionalists entered Oaxaca territory there, besides many women and children, are 1500 civilian refugees.

The latter are not prisoners and will be allowed to do as they please by the military authorities, though those desiring to remain in American territory will have to satisfy the immigration officers.

TWO CREWS ARE MISSING

Schooner John Paul and British Schooner Greta Sank in Nantucket Sound

VINEYARD HAVEN, Jan. 13.—A search was made in Nantucket sound today by the revenue cutter Acushnet for the crews of the schooner John Paul of Ellsworth, Me., and the British schooner Greta of Dorchester, N. B.

The Paul was picked up abandoned by the cutter but later sank off here. The Greta was at anchor last night on Cross Rip with her foremast gone and distress signals flying but could not be seen today.

The life savers battled for nearly two hours in an effort to round Great Point and reach the barge but were driven back by the increasing gale.

The barge was holding together at 10 o'clock and an effort was being made to send a fishing steamer out to her, although a shush log extended for nearly half a mile along the northern shore of the island.

The John Paul, which left Stonington, Me., two weeks ago for New York with a cargo of granite was picked up yesterday in Nantucket sound by the Acushnet. She was nearly awash at the time and was evidently leaking. There was no trace of her crew and it was believed that they were either taken off by a passing steamer or were carried off shore while attempting to reach Nantucket in their own boat.

The Acushnet took the Paul in tow and was well up to this port when the schooner foundered four miles off Hedges Point. It is said that the Greta, bound from Perth Amboy for St. John, N. B., put in here Saturday and sailed again on Saturday. She was caught by yesterday's storm off Cross Rip last night, where she lost her foremast and her main boom broken. She was sighted at dark last night at anchor close to Half Moon shoal and flying signals of distress.

After the Acushnet had lost the Paul and had run in here for a new hauler, she started down the sound on another rescue mission. Lieut. Satterlee, who has just relieved Lieut. Wiley as her commander, headed the cutter down the sound before the gale. On reaching Cross Rip the Acushnet halted the light-ship and learned that the Greta had disappeared during the night. About the same time there came a radio message from shore stating that a ship's longboat had been driven into the shore log on Monocacy point, ten miles to the eastward. The cutter cruised about Half Moon shoal for an hour but could find no trace of the Greta.

The Acushnet was then headed for Bass River to help several schooners. Lieut. Satterlee hoped to go over the shoals later in the day and assist two schooners at anchor off Chatham.

NEW DISASTER IN SOUTHERN JAPAN

TOKIO, Japan, Jan. 13.—A tidal wave added its terrors to the earthquakes and eruption which struck Kagoshima, in southern Japan, yesterday, according to official advices. Thousands of houses were destroyed and many persons killed or injured.

The full extent of the disaster could not be ascertained this morning as all communication was cut off from the stricken district south of Kumamoto, 60 or 70 miles north of Kagoshima and even the navy department was unable to obtain a wireless report from the warships sent to the scene, although many messages were despatched to them.

Asbes to the depth of six inches have fallen in the support of Miyazaki, on the east coast of Kishu.

A postal employee who fled from Kagoshima says the big postoffice building there collapsed during the earthquakes and tidal wave and that a great number of residences were ruined while many people and animals were killed or injured.

The navy and army departments are hastening succor and supplies to Kagoshima.

DESPAIR AND PANIC
NAGASAKI, Japan, Jan. 13.—Despair and panic reigned among the inhabitants of Kagoshima at the southern end of the island of Kishu, when the volcano of Sakurajima broke into eruption yesterday burying villages in streams of lava.

A refugee who arrived here today from Kagoshima says the eruption started with columns of thick black smoke and flame from the center of Sakurajima. The inhabitants of the small island in the gulf of Kikoshima, where Sakurajima is situated, rushed to the beach and leaped on board junks and steamers, which carried them across three miles of water to Kagoshima, ashes and particles of lava falling all the while on the decks.

At Kagoshima the heat was intense and a hail of glowing clinders made it impossible for the citizens to remain.

Social invitations are pouring in at the armory, but unfortunately the local militiamen are forced to decline all of them on account of the fact that they are getting everything in shape for the annual United States inspection which will be held in the latter part of the month.

The members of Co. G received an invitation to attend the athletic meet and parade under the auspices of Co. L, in Lawrence, on the 23d instant. All the local officers have been invited to attend the annual ball of Co. D of the Sixth which will be held in Marlboro on Jan. 23. They were also tendered an invitation to participate in the annual ball of the Ninth regiment to be held in the East grocery, Boston, on the 16th inst., and the annual ball of Co. B of the Sixth regiment to be held in Fitchburg on the 22d.

MANY INVITATIONS

Shortly after 1 o'clock a runaway horse attached to a market wagon dashed over East Merrimack street at full gallop. At the corner of High and East Merrimack street two automobiles were in the path of the runaway but were waived aside by Officer Wilson, who saw the runaway approaching. The notes turned in towards St. John's hospital and escaped the danger.

Officer Wilson made a grab for the horse's head and a narrow escape from being thrown down. The animal dashed on with increased speed to the top of the hill and was caught at the corner of East Merrimack and Willow streets and had been left standing on the street. It was finally caught by a young man named Dag-gan. The animal finding that it had passed its stable stowed up and was left in a state of excitement.

MANS LEG FRACTURED

A man by the name of John Carrigan fell and broke his right leg on Middlesex street opposite Peike's drug store shortly before 2 o'clock this afternoon. The ambulance was called to the scene of the accident and the injured man taken to St. John's hospital.

Carrigan had just returned from several months' logging in the backwoods of Maine and had only been in the city a short time. The injured man slipped from the sidewalk and fell heavily to the pavement, doubling his leg under him in such a manner that the bone was fractured.

THE Y. M. C. I. basketball team and the Company K five from the local armory will clash tonight at the Belvidere club house gym and a hot game is looked for. The Y. M. C. I. are striving to revive interest in basketball in Lowell and we hope they succeed. Winter sports in this city are few and far between just now and if a strong amateur league could be formed it would add a great deal to the entertainment of the sport loving public during the next few months. Keep it up, boys!

Mike Gibbons came through last night with a mighty, even if it was a lucky wallop and gave Bob McAllister his quietus for the first time. The seventh round of their scheduled ten round encounter saw the quick dead completed. Straight and hard to the point of the westerner's jaw Gibbons swung his right hand down went McAllister for a nap. Gibbons was somewhat lighter than McAllister. In the opinion of many Gibbons could never have landed his decisive blow if his opponent had not gotten careless.

The high school track team is looking better every day. Captain Varnum Bowers is instilling into his men his own idea of how a track should plug during the early season and all of the candidates are working hard to perfect themselves in their respective specialties. It looks as though the team this year would be on a par with the majority of those turned out in the past.

The dual track meet between Dartmouth and Pennsylvania has become a fixture. The agreement was made yesterday by the athletic heads of the two institutions that Dartmouth and Pennsylvania every spring, the place of meeting to alternate between Philadelphia and Hanover. Dartmouth won the first of these meets last year by a big margin.

Williams and Princeton will meet next year for the first time on the gridiron. Harvard and Williams will not play next fall as the Friday athletic managers of the latter college do not think that their team is far enough advanced at the time Harvard wants the game. The Tiger-Williams game should prove quite an attraction at the New Jersey grounds.

Gilbert Gallant will have the chance of his life next Friday night in Salt Lake City when he meets Ordo-Round Hogan. Gallant arrived yesterday with his modest manager, Alex McLean, and the two are making all preparations for a long and bitter battle. If Gallant gets the best of this astic argument McLean will doubtless take him direct to New York where he ought to prove quite a drawing card. Well leave all that to Alex, however.

Irving Howe, the big colored athlete who featured in Boston English high school athletes for so long, is soon to enter Exeter. Howe has been at Westbrook academy, the first semester but will shift to the New Hampshire prep school within a few days. Howe has caused the local high school athletes much anxiety on various occasions in the last few years.

THE IRISH WOOLLEN MILLS
WEDNESDAY, Jan. 13.—Fire last night destroyed the picker room of the Fabian woolen mills at New Boston, Conn., ruining the machinery and a large quantity of goods. The loss is \$10,000.

ENGLISH SOCCER

Saturday's Games Prove Interesting in League Races—Sunderland Wins High Score

LONDON, Jan. 13.—In the first round of the English cup games played here Saturday afternoon the Blackburn Rovers won from Middleborough, 3 to 0. Sunderland piled up the largest score of the day, making nine goals, while Chatham was shut out. West Ham won from Chesterfield by an 8 to 1 score. The scores:

Oldham Athletic 1, Brighton and Hove 1.
Manchester City 2, Fulham 0.
Newcastle 2, Sheffield United 0.
Preston 5, Bristol Rovers 1.
Clapton Orient 2, Notts Forest 2.
Queens Park 2, Bristol City 2.
Leicester 3, Tottenham 5.
Liverpool 1, Manchester United 0.
Swindon 1, Barnsley 1.
Derby 2, Northampton 0.
Wiltown 0, Chelsea 0.
Bury 3, South Shields 1.
Bradford 2, Reading 1.
Gillingham 1, Blackpool 1.
Crystal Palace 2, Norwich 1.
West Bromwich 3, Grimsby 0.
Wolverhampton 3, Southampton 0.
Bradford City 2, Walsley 0.
Ipswich City 0, Bury 0.
Blackburn Rovers 3, Middleborough 0.

Bolton 2, Portvale 0.
Plymouth 4, Exeter City 1.
Glossop 2, Exeter 1.
Sheffield Wednesday 3, Notts county 2.
West Ham 8, Exeter 4.
Gainsborough 2, Exeter 1.
Portsmouth 1, Exeter 1.
Huddersfield 3, London Caledonia 0.
Sunderland 9, Chatham 0.
Aston Villa 4, Stoke 0.
Hillingham 4, South End 1.
Walsley 2, Northv 0.

The many friends of Dr. Pierre Brulle, who has been confined to his home in Moody street with a severe illness, will be pleased to learn his condition is rapidly improving and that he will be out in a few days.

SECOND
ANNUAL

PUBLIC SALE

THE STORE
OF

J. FREEMAN & CO.

214 Merrimack
Street

WILL OPEN THURSDAY, JANUARY 15, AT 9 A. M. TO THE PUBLIC

STOCK OF CLOTHING AND FURNISHINGS WILL BE SOLD AT LESS THAN COST

Stock Must Be Reduced as Per Order

Here is Where Your Money Will Go Further in Purchasing Up to Date Clothing and Furnishings Than it Ever Went Before.

We have come to the time of the year when all men's stores run their annual mark-down sales. We, of course, are known as the store that sells MEN'S CLOTHING and FURNISHINGS with the cut price rate in the season. Now, in order for us to go and get business in the present hard times, we are forced into this predicament. To keep our reputation up as above stated, we must and had to come down in prices, lower than the regular cut price sales that are held. On account of our small advertising space we are only quoting a few of our many bargains that are awaiting you at this sale.

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AROUND THE N. E. CIRCUIT

Harry Wormwood Picks Lewiston as Good City—O'Brien Once More Applies the Spotlight

"I see no reason why Lewiston should not make league baseball pay," said Harry Wormwood the Auburn boy who was with Duffy last year at Portland, while discussing the New England league of 1914. "In the first place they have the right kind of men at the head of the movement in Bill Carrigan and Mike McDonough and in the second place the rivalry between Lewiston and Portland will keep the interest up for a season at least and if the people show the right kind of sporting blood the team will finish well enough this season to warrant keeping it in Lewiston another season.

"In the smaller places and mill towns the interest is an intimate and personal affair. The star pitcher works in the store where you meet him every day, the first baseman works at the machine next to you in the shop, the right fielder and slugger lives just around the corner—all this lends a certain warmth to your appreciation of his three batters and home runs. In these places every boy is a common joy and every grief is common property.

"It was this kind of interest and spirit that was shown in Portland last year when Duffy brought the Fall River team to that city. Early in the year both the people and the press showed an interest that was worthy of the best in the players, and they got it.

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"If this kind of interest had been shown at Brockton last season there would have been at least three teams who would have finished behind her in the league. On the road Brockton had one of the best fighting teams in the league but at home very little interest was shown on the part of the fans and the players seemed to show even less. Baseball players are very much human, a fact which most fans overlook, and how can you expect a man to stand up and fight for the name of a town that he doesn't even belong in when the people in that town or city show little or no interest in his battles or even thank him for winning them.

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and attends the games instead of standing around the gate knocking the team players and everybody in general, the players will be quick to show an interest that will result in a first division team.

"To the man who is inclined to argue that the Brockton team would be little affected by any rivalry that might exist between Lewiston and Portland I would say that if the interest is shown not only will the rivalry be shown, but it will exist between them and all the other teams in the league.

"In last year's Brockton outfit Lewiston will find ample material for the foundation of a first division team. Anderson, who was purchased last year by the Red Sox, will possibly be returned to Brockton, and if such is the case he will prove a valuable man for Lewiston. Swapp, Brignolia and Shears are also pitchers of ability, and in exchange they have one of the best catchers in the league. In the outfield are Maloney and Howard, two hard hitters. In David, who plays second base, Lewiston will find as fast a man as ever held down the second station around these parts.

When asked about the Portland

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team Wormwood said: "With the exception of Sullivan, Burns and Pumphrey the team will be about the same as last season."

Lynch With Lynn
Frank H. Connaughton, the former New England league player and manager, is loud in praise of the playing of Billy Lynch, the South Lawrence lad, who has signed to play with Lynn this coming season.

After Connaughton got through in New Bedford last season he went to the Maine-New Brunswick league. Lynch was playing in that league. Connaughton had a good chance to look him over and he says that he is every bit fast enough for New England league ball.

Lynch was tried out by Lynn last spring and let go. He made an impression, however, as Lynn was only too glad to sign him up again this winter for next season. Lawrence Sun.

John O'Brien
"Little" John O'Brien, who for a number of years past has been the manager of some New England league club, yesterday announced to the managers of the "little old league" that he is about to form a trolley league which will include all three of the cities which have been dropped from the New England league schedule and two other Massachusetts cities, and possibly one or two from Rhode Island.

O'Brien intends that his league shall be made up of six teams. He has in mind Pawtucket and another Rhode Island city, Fall River, Brockton, New Bedford and several other cities.

The former magnate broke the news

to the managers before they went into session at the Copley Plaza. The league will join hands with organized ball and is not to hamper the New England league as does the Federal the majors.

It is probable that the new circuit will become a Class D league.

Paul Howard Back
Paul Howard may play in the New England league next season. Howard is a fireman in Boston and, according to last accounts he was sick of the job and wanted to come back to baseball. When Howard is right, he comes pretty nearly being the best fielder in the New England league, and here's hoping he returns to the fold.

PRISON REFORMS AND REFORMERS
In this year of grace an ordinarily hard-bitten, self-seeking business man was telling of a big loss he had suffered by embezzlement. "Why," said the listener, "don't you send that thief to the penitentiary?" Came the answer: "Did you ever see a penitentiary? I wouldn't send any man to prison." Perhaps this business man was not so ordinary as he seemed, but there is no doubt he voiced a kind of sentiment that is growing among Americans, and a curious two-edged blade it is. Human softness, imagination to feel another's woes, these are the very warp of Christian civilization, but the warp is respect for law. Here is another pointer toward prison reform. You must keep your prisons up with the growth of our love for our neighbors, or the whole fabric of the state is weakened by our revulsion against the stupidity and brutality of legal penalties. If you want murder discour-

aged, it becomes necessary to adjust penalties to the fixed ideas of jurors; if they want hangmen, why let us get busy and find out what is in accord with their consciences in the matter. These things illustrate a high old truth—i. e., it is for the law to keep up with the people's hunger after righteousness; and this means movement, change. Truly, Chesterton is right in saying that men must be forever busy throwing away, shoveling overboard, institutions they have made with pains and devotion, only in the course of time to outwear and outgrow them. How proud and pious whole peoples have felt over the prison reform the great Howard forced on the early nineteenth century! They were a magnificent advance; now it seems to be up to us to see if we can advance as magnificently.

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KILLING THE LOAN SHARK

For many years there was not a more evil system in existence as a business proposition than the system of loans at exorbitant interest by which extortioners and money lenders have made life for them a living hell. There was little of legislative regulation and little general discussion of the matter. All at once the public became aroused to the enormity of the wrong; press and public discussed it in all its phases, and before long we had laws which allowed the conducting of loan business under well defined legislative limits only and put an end to the system which levied what it pleased on the wretch who fell into its clutches.

Since the state took the matter in hand six years or so ago progress has been rapid in the proper regulation of the loan business so as to safeguard the individual who is forced by circumstances to seek this means of relief from pressing financial burdens. Laws have been made which limit the amount of interest charged, eliminate many practices which were formerly tolerated, and bring the entire loan business and its promoters under state supervision. This supervision has been exercised judiciously and consistently and there is scarcely a week that the principal cities of the commonwealth do not see some prosecutions for breaches or evasions of the law governing loans.

As a business proposition large loans lent by reputable firms and on fair terms are as necessary as their life common, but anything which would discourage the practice of petty loans to individuals is a distinct benefit to the community. There are times when it may be compulsory for individuals to borrow, but most of those who do so strive to avert a financial burden by substituting another, and one that will press heavier later on. The existence of loan companies offers to many weak strugglers a too ready temptation to throw their troubles into the future, and unfortunately too many still fall victims.

To do away with the evil of ready loans at high interest, a society has been formed in Boston founded on the system of co-operation which, if generally adopted would sound the knell of the loan sharks. It is a credit union with the avowed purpose of "supplying credit to worthy persons in need." It is said to be founded on the rural credit system in vogue in Germany, by which the German farmer is supplied with all the money necessary for a scientific conduct of his business at critical times in anticipation of his profits when his crops are harvested.

The founder of the movement, a prominent banker of Boston, in explaining the new society calls it an association of "mutual trust and confidence—financial brotherhood." Among other stipulations its rules provide: that the association shall be organized on co-operative lines; that the association shall be one of men and not of shares, thus giving each shareholder but one vote irrespective of the number of shares he holds; that loans shall be made only for purposes which promise to result in a saving or a profit to the borrower; that borrowers must carry out to the letter the conditions of repayment agreed upon at the time their loans are made.

The success of a scheme such as this will depend mostly on the character of those who are admitted to membership, and the rules governing such admission must be so framed that the direct result is said to be an improvement in the character of the borrower, who lost all self respect under the old system, and the elimination of the loan shark.

BEEF IMPORTATION

Although we do not hear any complaints from the meat barons regarding any failure of in business since the tariff went into effect, statistics supplied by the federal government, department of commerce, show that the meat market in the matter of supply has been very much affected by the new law. If the increase of imported meats for the future is in accordance with the increase thus far, there will have to be some reduction in prices else the American public will be enabled to supply their tables with the meats from foreign countries.

The figures for the last quarter of 1913 show that the beef importations for October and November of that year were greater than for all the months preceding. Much publicity was given to the importation of Argentine beef immediately following the enactment of the tariff law, but these figures reveal that the sources of supply are many. About half the entire supply of beef imported from foreign places came from England, though, of course, much of this was from some other foreign part and came here through English agencies. With the increased demand for the foreign product, which in all cases sold at a less price than American beef, far more will come direct from the producing country.

Another matter for surprise is the

great amount of Canadian beef that has come in since the tariff law went into effect. During the month of November, Canada sent nearly 3,000,000 pounds to Chicago, half a million pounds to New York and quarter of a million to Boston. Undoubtedly the importers are only waiting for public patronage before availing of the new tariff more fully in the matter of foreign beef importation, and if the foreign product finds favor here, the result ought to be a reduction in the prices of native meats. For years the tendency has been upward and it is time that there should be a move in the other direction.

STATE AND TUBERCULOSIS

The state board of health and the legislature are confronted strikingly with the need of greater care of tuberculosis patients in this state in accordance with the steps taken by New York, Pennsylvania and many other states, and most of our health regulations are framed with this need in mind. There is a growing feeling, however, that the state, whether acting through its board of health, its legislature, or both, has not been specific enough, and the apathy with which the contagious hospital matter has been received by most communities, in face of a heavy penalty, is proof of the fact that there is a general misunderstanding of what the policy of Massachusetts is.

That there is general misunderstanding of the matter is evidenced from the reports of measures which are to be considered by the legislature, among which are several relating to the care of tuberculosis. One of them calls for an annual appropriation of \$500,000 for the construction of hospitals and dispensaries. These are to be under state control and located where the need is greatest. This would entail their erection near large cities and as the contagious hospital stipulation commands municipal hospitals at such places, there is evidence of confusion and danger of duplication of effort.

The defense made by the cities that have done nothing towards the erection of the contagious hospital was, that the aims of the state are too vague. There has been considerable talk here concerning the advisability of making segregation of consumptives compulsory as it is in New Jersey, Minnesota and other states, but whether this would follow the erection of a contagious hospital or not is problematical. The state is gradually taking over full charge of tuberculosis, following the example of many progressive states, but the general public is sadly at sea as to what is intended. The legislature and state board of health should decide on some definite policy and announce it to the public.

ANOTHER DISSOLUTION

People of this part of the country may call the movement for dissolution of the New Haven combination a triumph for the government with a greater understanding of what is involved than in the case of the telegraph and telephone companies under President Vail or the financial combination under Mr. J. P. Morgan. After a long period of confusion and distress a rational policy has been abandoned with all the publicity that official agreements with the administration involves. The work is half done. What now remains is the other and more important half of again building up what has been taken apart. Time may yet show that the New Haven, Boston and Maine and Maine Central roads might have worked well under one head was public opinion more patient, but the future of all three roads demands that they now be run separately and independently. Public opinion having undergone most of the work of Mr. Mellen ought to set itself now to the urgent work of construction. Destruction has gone far enough—if not too far.

TO PAY COLUMBIA

The United States has never been able to quite explain its action in setting hold of the republic of Panama despite the claims and complaints of Columbia, whose territory it was previously. It was highly expedient that the canal should be built and

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expediency was made the dominant consideration regardless of higher ideals. The result has justified the move as a business matter but little or nothing has been done to make reparation to the little republic of South America. The boast of ex-President Roosevelt concerning his share in the transaction has done much to foster hostile feelings and he was reminded of his part in the annexation of the canal zone rather unpleasantly recently after application of some highly idealistic doctrine of his in South America. It looks as though the unpleasant feelings between this country and its little sister of the south will be smoothed away to some extent soon for Colombia has proposed that a cash indemnity for the injury inflicted would be acceptable. Negotiations for some ultimate payment are now pending and when they are concluded we can point to the Panama canal all the more proudly. There should be no stain on our title to it.

THAW CONSIDERED SANE

Apart from the many technicalities of the Thaw case it has been generally felt by the public since his trial and incarceration in Matteawan, and still more since his escape from there that he is sane. It was convenient for him that abolitionists found enough in his life and actions to bolster up one of these strange forms of mental eccentricity that have become a tragic joke in American murder trials. On the assumption that he is sane, therefore, most people have taken his side during the long months of controversy since he escaped to Canada and was extradited to New Hampshire. Much of the strength of his position in fighting the New York authorities has come from the fact that he was considered an insane person before the law in that state and time will show whether the finding of the federal commission which has declared him sane is in his favor or the contrary. If admitted to bail he will probably strive to get away a little farther from New York than he is at present. Few will wish him returned to the living death of Matteawan.

The sad drowning in the icy waters of the Concord river calls attention to the danger of juveniles venturing on any ice except that which is sanctioned by the city. Far better that children be prevented from skating altogether than that they be allowed to go where their lives are in danger. Shedd park was never in better condition for skating and it should be the aim of all citizens to see that children who skate should go there.

Now that the council has rescinded the vote of the last municipal body concerning the location of the contagious hospital on the Pillsbury site, will the members please tell us where they wish to put it?

Jokes about the advisability of letting Thaw out this weather are rather reasonable.

Where is that pair of ear-muffs?

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EDITORIAL COMMENT

AS EUGENICS WORKS

Lawyer News: The Milwaukee Sentinel is of the opinion that "after the test the eugenics law may be found to contain 50 per cent. impracticability and 50 per cent. nonsense. At any rate it is very far from working well. All applicants for marriage must pass through an exhaustive test. The committee are turning away applicants who present themselves without bringing the certificates required by law, and the physicians are in their turn refusing to issue certificates.

THAW'S MOTHER

Lawrence Telegram: The one bright and unselfish figure in all the motley crowd of alienists, lawyers, and harpies of both sexes that has gathered around the Thaw case has been his mother. Her unrelenting devotion to an unworthy son has made the wonder all the more how she could ever have borne such a child. The just as he turned out shows how great a part environment and training play in developing an individual.

GRACEFUL AND WISE

Woonsocket Call: If the chief justiceship of the United States supreme court becomes vacant during his term, Chief Justice Taft would do a graceful and wise thing to appoint William H. Taft. The ex-president is abundantly fitted in all respects for this honorable and important office.

PORT'S PLAN

Portland Express: The economic wisdom of Mr. Ford's profit-sharing and five dollar a day minimum wage plan remains to be proven. At the rate aspirants for positions in the Ford factory are pouring in to Detroit the city may yet have to call on its philanthropist to pay their fares back to their homes.

THE SMALL ADVERTISER

Manchester Mirror: Smaller retail merchants sometimes become discouraged by the competition in newspaper space of larger stores. They imagine that people do not read the smaller notices.

Any newspaper man can give incidents out of his personal experience showing the contrary. A man with a very small space indeed often tells his story in such a pertinent, business-like, conversational way that readers turn to his little ad just as a financial operator turns to the stock market.

It does not take a gift for saying smart and sharp things to make this kind of impression. It is simply the idea of writing as you talk, saying the things in advertising that you would say to a customer if you had him before the counter.

JUSTICE TO COLUMBIA

Christian Science Monitor: The United States cannot afford to be less than fair, less than generous, less than magnanimous, to Columbia, having in mind honor and its own relation to all the nations and all the peoples of the world. The size of the individual neighbor should never for an



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Instant be considered when the question involved is one of open and honest dealing. Perhaps the worst thing that could happen to the United States would be the taking of any course in this connection largely attended by belief, too prevalent to the south, that the nation is influenced for the most part by selfishness and self-seeking; perhaps the very best thing that could happen would be the adoption of a policy which would show Central and South America, and all the world, that it neither seeks nor will take unfair advantage of the poor or weak in the family of nations. The Colombian settlement should be one of which the people of the United States may be proud for all time.

Miner's orch., Associate Friday.

FUNERALS

BROSNAN—The funeral of John P. Brosnan took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, Thomas and Mary Driscoll Brosnan, 78 Mt. Hope street, and was largely attended by relatives and friends, including a number from out of town. There was a procession of beautiful flowers, including pieces from the following families: Uncles Patrick and John, Masters Thomas John and James Brosnan, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Large and family, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brosnan, Miss Bridget Rourke, John, William and Madeline Kenney, Little friends. The bearers were Master John, John and James Brosnan, Luke McCarthy, Harold Judge and Leo Wholey. At the grave, Rev. John Degan, pastor of St. Columba's church, read the funeral prayers, and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

FOWLER—The funeral of Dorothy May Fowler was held yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, Walter and Mary Fowler, 11 Mt. Hope street, and was largely attended by relatives and friends. Burial was in the Eden cemetery, in charge of Undertakers Higgins.

SIMPSON—Funeral services over the body of David B. Simpson were held yesterday afternoon at his residence, 1255 Commonwealth avenue, Allston. Rev. Mr. Uhl of Riverbank court, Cambridge, missionary from India, a former neighbor of the deceased, officiated. Following the services at the house, the funeral party proceeded to the Lowell cemetery where, in the family lot on Myachin avenue, burial was made. The committal prayers being offered by Rev. C. A. Austin, pastor of the Kirk Street Congregational church, with which the deceased had retained his membership since removing from Lowell. Among the floral tributes was a wreath from Lowell council No. 8, Royal Arcanum, of which order Mr. Simpson was a past regent. Messrs. Charles P. Stark and Regent John C. Chandler attended as representatives of the Arcanum.

WHITELY—The funeral services of Charles Whitely were held yesterday afternoon at the rooms of Undertaker William H. Saunders in Hard street. Rev. H. S. Pichman, pastor of the First Baptist church, officiated. The bearers were Robert W. Proctor, Thomas Proctor and Robert Proctor. Burial took place in the family lot in the Eden cemetery.

DEATHS

THORNTON—John Thornton died in Boston, aged 48 years. He leaves besides his wife, Lina G., one son, Charles S. Thornton of Lowell, and one sister, Mrs. L. Perry of Somerville. The body was brought to Lowell to the rooms of Undertakers Young & Blake.

McNAMARA—Joseph H. McNamara died yesterday at his home, 18 North street, aged 74 years, nine months and 13 days. He leaves his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. James McNamara; five brothers, Patrick, James, Maroney, William and Benjamin, and a wide circle of friends.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

HOW COLD IS IT?

Buy a good thermometer at our reduction sale and find out. Don't ask your friends, KNOW.

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Mighty Seasonable Bargains

Remember Our Marked Down Sale of

Men's Overcoats

Fancy Overcoats—sold for \$12, now \$13.50 and \$15.00, now..... 7.75
Chinchilla Overcoats—with shawl or notch collar, also fine Meltons, sold for \$15, now..... 10.50
Fine Chinchilla Overcoats—and Dingy Coatings, sold for \$25.00, now..... 17.50
All of Rogers-Peet's Costliest Overcoats—sold up to \$40.00, now..... 28.00

Remember Our Mark Down Sale of

FUR COATS

Every Fur Coat in stock—fur outside—formerly sold from \$25 to \$60, now \$18.00 to \$45.00

CHARLES NAYLOR

Well Known Chemist Taken Ill on Car and Died in Drug Store

Charles Naylor, the well known chemist of the C. I. Hood laboratory, died suddenly last night when returning from the Lowell Textile school, where he was engaged in special work



Pale Girls and Frail Women

suffer discomfort—are languid, fretful and nervous, because their blood is thin or insufficient, but if those so afflicted could fully realize the wonderful blood-making properties of SCOTT'S EMULSION they would not deprive themselves of its benefits.

Nourishment alone—not drugs or alcohol—makes blood—and Scott's Emulsion is the essence of medical nourishment free from wines, alcohols or opiates.

SCOTT'S EMULSION after meals fills hollow cheeks, overcomes languor and makes tranquil nerves. Refuse Substitutes.

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SCOTT'S EMULSION SELLERS EVERYWHERE

in the evening courses. Having been taken ill on an electric car about 9:30 o'clock he was taken into the drug store of A. W. Dows & Co., where he died shortly afterwards.

All his life Mr. Naylor has been a practical chemist. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Naylor. In early life he entered the store of A. W. Dows & Co., the very store where by a strange coincidence he died last night. Here he studied the preparation of medicine and gained the knowledge that afterwards made him a valuable employee of the C. I. Hood company. About 15 years ago Mr. Naylor went into business for himself at 107 Central street in the store now occupied by Mr. Fred Howard. Here he was successful, but after a few years he sold out and entered the Hood laboratory where he was given full charge of the manufacture of the medicines and various toilet preparations. He was abroad for a brief period as representative of a foreign firm.

Mr. Naylor was a member of St. Paul's church and very much interested in all its activities. He was unusually sincere in his dealings with others and had many qualities of mind and heart that endeared him to a large circle of friends. His sudden death has shocked a great many, who regarded him as a friend.

Mr. Naylor is survived by a wife and daughter. His father, who is over 80 years of age, is a citizen of Lowell. He also leaves several brothers and sisters.

MET HIM BEFORE

Belle—Who is the box of candy from?

Beulah—I don't know. There's no card accompanying it.

Belle—I'll bet it's from Billy. He's so forgetful.

Beulah—Yes, but Billy wouldn't only forget to send a card; he's the kind of a man who would forget to send the candy.—Yonkers Statesman.

SAME COME BACK

Hicks—Is it true, then, that you're living beyond your station?

Wicks—Yes—two miles.—Pearson's Weekly.

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C YEAR IN CO
—AND—
C YEAR OUT CO
You will find us on the job at the same old stand, always pleasant and courteous and ready to supply your wants in the least possible time.
HORNE COAL CO.

MONTREAL FIRE

Notre Dame Cathedral
Threatened - Blaze
Subdued After Fight

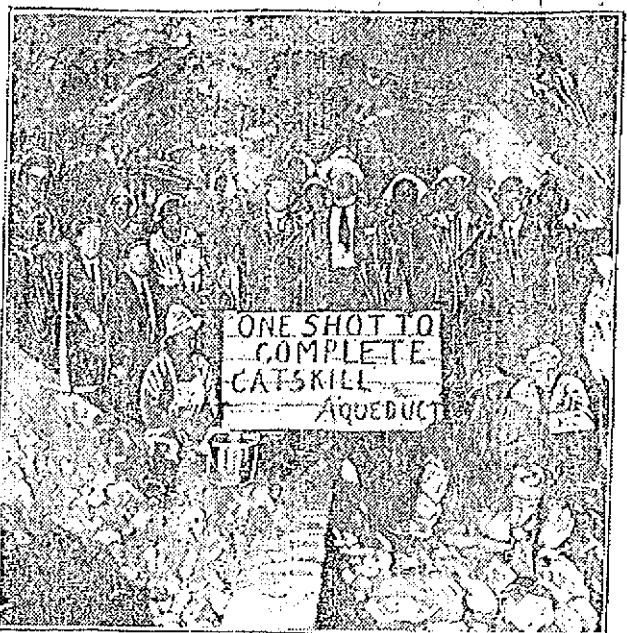
MONTREAL, Jan. 14.—Fire which seriously threatened the business centre of Montreal was subdued yesterday afternoon only after a stubborn fight. The loss is estimated at \$200,000. The four-story warehouse of Frotheringham & Worsman, hardware wholesalers, was completely wrecked. Adjacent buildings caught, and for a time historic Notre Dame cathedral was threatened. Flames broke out in a building adjacent to the cathedral but were checked.

Battling in a temperature 25 degrees below zero, firemen were not only hampered by the bitter cold, but by the fact that half a dozen other fires broke out almost simultaneously. At one time only seven pieces of apparatus were left with which to combat the central fire.

Nearly every fireman sustained frost bites, and so serious were the injuries and the effects of the frost that about twenty were turned into a temporary hospital.

Notre Dame cathedral occupies the corner of Notre Dame and St. Jacques streets, opposite Place d'Armes square. It is 235 feet long and 131 feet wide, with two towers, each 227 feet high. One tower contains a bell weighing 25,000 pounds, said to be the largest in America. In the other is a famous chime of bells. The church will hold 10,000 persons.

NEW YORK CITY'S GREATEST AQUEDUCT COMPLETED AT COST OF \$152,000,000



SCENE AT COMPLETION OF NEW YORK CITY'S \$152,000,000 AQUEDUCT

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—New York's great \$152,000,000 aqueduct, the largest of its kind in the country and one of the greatest engineering feats in certain respects outside of the Panama canal, is at last completed. The final dynamite blast was set off by Mayor Mitchell after workmen had prepared everything for the completing explosion at the New York end of the big

waterway. The water will be carried in the fifteen foot tube from the Ashokan reservoir in the Catskill mountains, ninety-six miles to this city. It will provide 500,000,000 gallons of fresh, pure mountain water a day, more than enough for the needs of the city for many years to come. Seventy-five thousand men have been employed on the work since its inception, and over \$4,000 have been killed or injured.

TAX LEGISLATION

Renewed in Report Presented by Commissioner Davies

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—Tax legislation throughout the United States during 1913 is reviewed in a final report on taxation of corporations presented to President Wilson yesterday by Commissioner Davies of the bureau of cor-

porations. One of the striking features of legislation reviewed is New York's secured debts law of 1911. The Wisconsin income tax law of 1911 is considered the most important tax legislation in the Eastern Central and Western Central states.

"Other noteworthy features are the decided trend toward greater centralization of the administration of the laws and the classification of property for taxation purposes," says the report. "Wisconsin is a leading example of the one and Rhode Island of the other. Wisconsin, by its income tax law, centralized its administration of assessments and successfully reached intangible property without employing the classification method. Rhode Island has adopted the classification method under which selected classes are separated from the general property of the state, and each related class is taxed at a rate which differs from the general property tax rate.

"Legislation with respect to the estates of non-resident decedents is also noteworthy. By reason of the lack of uniformity of state laws, such estates are sometimes subject to taxation three, and even four times. Massachusetts, however, has recognized the principle of taxing such property but once, namely, by taxing the real estate only. Personality is not taxed, since such property usually passes in accordance with the law of the jurisdiction where the decedent was domiciled. New York in addition to taxing real estate, taxes chattels located in New York, and Wisconsin has passed inheritance-tax legislation looking toward a complete physical-status basis for taxation."

PRES. GILMORE

Here's the Man Who is Trying to Bust Baseball "Trust"

James C. Gilmore, president of the new Federal Baseball league, is just now the most talked of man in America's national sport. Gilmore has undertaken to "bust" organized baseball, or, rather, has taken up the task of creating a new major baseball league



J. C. GILMORE

that will be run independently of the national baseball commission. He has already signed up many prominent players from the National and American leagues, and the country is to see one of the bitterest baseball wars ever waged.

The new edition of The Sun is on sale in newspapers and at all newsstands.

SENSATIONAL PRICES

PREVAIL AT THIS
The Greatest January Clearance Sale
IN OUR HISTORY



COATS
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The Biggest January Stock We Ever Had—
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Whatever price you want to pay you Double Your Money.

COATS AT \$5.95
Broken sizes from the \$8.98
reel; a bargain at \$8.98; a
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Sizes from the \$10.00 and
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but out they go.

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The most wonderful assortment collected together at this price.
Think of full 52 inches long, lined throughout, plush and Arabian
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A FINE, WARM COAT IS THE BEST PROTECTION AGAINST COLD WINTER WEATHER

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375 suits must be sold by Saturday night. We know of no better way than almost giving them away.

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Not 1-2 price, but they must be sold as ordered.

\$6.00 RAINCOATS...\$3.90
\$1.00 SKIRTS...\$1.90
Every garment in the store at some price.

NEW YORK CLOAK & SUIT CO.

CHERRY & WEBB
12-18 JOHN STREET

GRANTED LICENSES

The license board granted the following minor licenses last night at a short meeting:

Auctioneer, Thomas H. Kelley, 70 Balle street; Joseph H. Bruce, Myrtle street; E. Gaston Campbell, 328 Hudson building; Hawker and peddler, Charles Reilly, 5-6 Dutton street; Emma White, 11 Riverside street; Second-hand clothing, N. W. Peabody, 2 John

street; common victualler, Christos Chopoulos, transferred from 32 Lewis street to 453 Market street.

Everybody going, Asso., Friday.

CENTRALVILLE LODGE

Centralville lodge, 215, I. O. O. F. held a very successful concert and dancing party in Associate hall last night and in spite of the inclement

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CHILDREN'S COATS
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Did you get a \$1 Waist for 50c?

Furs
—AND—
Fur Coats

AT COST OF SKINS
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MOONLIGHT THIS WEEK

COASTING AND SKATING FINE

SKATES

For Men, Women, Boys and Girls.

Skate Straps—Hockey Sticks

CLIPPER SLEDS,

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Several Sizes

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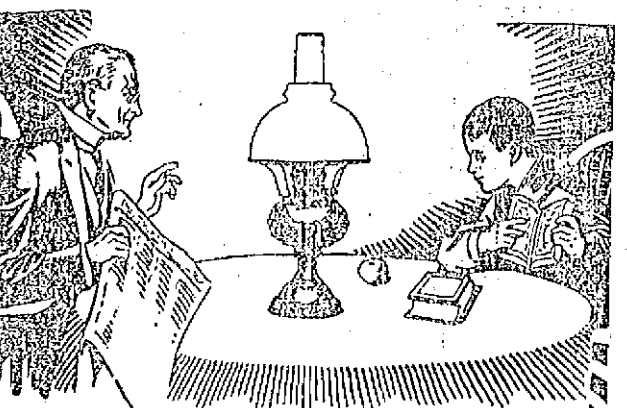
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A tobacco that is instantly distinguished from all others by its fragrance.

The first time you get a whiff of STAG, you'll go buy some.

In the pipe, in the tin, indoors, outdoors, its natural lasting fragrance will win you at once and forever.

Convenient Packages: The Handy Half-Size 5-Cent Tin, the Full-Size 10-Cent Tin, the Pound and Half-Pound Tin Humidor and the Pound Glass Humidor.

STAG

For Pipe and Cigarette.

"EVER-LASTING-LY GOOD"

P. Lorillard Co.—Established 1760

THE SUN CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

TO LET

SMALL, WELL-EQUIPPED MACHINE shop for rent; references required. Address N. 88, Sun Office.

DOWN STAIRS 5-ROOM TENEMENT to let at 27-C, Barlett st. Apply to W. E. Dodge, Wyman's Exchange.

THREE ROOM TENEMENT TO LET furnished for light housekeeping; 63 Cornhill st. Inquire G. Waterhouse, 10 Sanborn st.

ROOM TO LET IN PRIVATE FAMILY. Apply 65 Warr st.

TWO APARTMENT HOUSE TO LET; all modern conveniences, at 151-153 Methuen st. Inquire 31 Methuen st.

TWO FOUR-ROOM FLATS TO LET near Westford st. Apply 65 Dover st. Tel. 2367-E.

FIVE ROOMS, BATH AND PANTRY; to let; hot water, 42 Barclay st.; \$11.50 per month. Inquire Schultz Furniture Co., 115 and 121 Middlesex st.

FLAT OF FIVE ROOMS TO LET; bath and bath, 113 Jewett st. Apply G. Grubbs, Florist, 31 Bridge st.

STEAM HEATED FURNISHED rooms to let; bath on same floor; use of telephone. 181 East Merrimack st.

ROOM SUITABLE FOR BARBER shop or business office; to let; on second floor of the Harrington building, 52 Central st.

MY HOUSE AND STABLE AT 239 Westford avenue, to let. Chas. A. Evelyn, Lowell fall.

TO LET

GEORGE E. BROWN, 19 CHESTNUT st., says: "Don't live where it is cold, see my warm pleasant, all on one floor 2-room tenement."

TWO LARGE FRONT ROOMS TO let over Wyman's; suitable for lodge room or club; steam heat. Apply T. F. Hennessy.

FLAT OF FIVE ROOMS TO LET; 151 Walker st.; all modern improvements; steam heat. Apply Farrell & Conaton, 243 Dutton st.

FIVE ROOM FLAT TO LET AT 108 Chapel st.; rent reasonable. Apply Mr. Kelley, 108 Chapel st.

TWO TENEMENTS OF FIVE ROOMS each, to let at 45 and 63 Chambers st. Rent reasonable. Apply at 74 Chambers st.

ROOMS TO LET, 11 PER WEEK and up. Mrs. McMillan, 15 Hurd st.

PROF. EHRICH'S "606" SALVARSAN

Administered in the veins at Dr. Temple's Lowell office. NO LOSS OF TIME from business. NO PAIN. Lues, malaria, locomotor ataxia and various forms of skin diseases arising from blood poison.

This solves the problem of the centuries and rid the world of the WORST SCOURGE that the human race has known. RESULTS IMMEDIATE. Wasserman blood tests made. Also treats cancer, tumors, all acute and chronic blood and nervous diseases of men and women, hydrocele, varicocele, stricture, prostatic diseases, piles, haemorrhoids, ulcers and rectal diseases. WITHOUT THE USE OF THE KNIFE. Diseases of the eye, ear, nose, throat, skin, stomach, liver, kidneys, bladder, bowels and rectum, epilepsy, and all nervous diseases.

Terms always made to suit the convenience of anyone applying for treatment, and very reasonable charges. Do not treat elsewhere until you have investigated methods and terms. Lowell office, 97 Central street, Mansur block. Hours: Wed., 2 to 4 and 7 to 9. Sundays to 12.

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SPECIAL NOTICES

CARD READING—PAST, PRESENT and future; 10c and 25c. Madam Cory, 379 Bridge st., cor. Third st., room 1.

11TH HOUR ASBESTOS STOVE lining for lining or repairing linings of ranges, furnaces and stoves. For sale at all stove dealers, 15 and 25 cent boxes.

LOUIS FOX, DEALER IN SECOND-HAND FURNITURE of all kinds bought, sold and exchanged. 135 Middlesex st.

CASH PAID FOR SECOND HAND FURNITURE of all kinds, large or small lots. T. F. Muldoon, 526 Central st.

STOVE REPAIRS, LININGS, GRATES, centers and other parts for all stoves and ranges carried in stock; work done at lowest prices. Bring name and size of stove, or telephone 4179. Quinn Furniture Co., 160 Middlesex st.

PIANOS AND ORGANS TUNED and repaired. Tuning \$1. Kershaw, 190 Cumberland road. Tel. 641-1.

LYMBURG CO. CHIMNEY EXPERTS—Chimneys swept and repaired. Residence 1125 Bridge st. Tel. 945-W.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—THE SUN IS on sale every day at both news stands of the Union station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

WANTED

THE GOOD PEOPLE OF LOWELL wanted to buy 11th Hour Asbestos Stove Lining, 15 and 25 cent boxes, at all stove dealers.

BOARDERS WANTED AT KIRK Scott Chambers, board \$2.50. Two front rooms with board, \$1 per day. 57 Kirk st. Jessie Desautels.

ROOMERS AND BOARDERS WANTED. \$2.50 for ladies, \$3.00 for men; rooms \$1 upwards; steam heat. Apply 50 Lee st.

FOR SALE

Coal, Coke and Wood

We handle the best grade of hard coal. Try a ton and you will come again. Also, Lowell Gas and Coke. Try a children's Maple and oak wood for fire places, mill kindling, slab and hard wood.

W. T. GRIFFIN
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Separate room \$1 per month for regular 12 two-horse load. Pianos \$1.50. The dryest and cleanest place for storage in Lowell. Telephone connection. O. F. Prentiss, 358 Bridge st.

FOR SALE

ONE TWO-H. P. 50V ELECTRIC MOTOR; A1 condition; for sale cheap. Apply Elmer Glass, St. R. K. starter, Merrimack sq.

PUPS FOR SALE. INQUIRE 4 Everett st.

AS I HAVE NOT WORK FOR ALL of my horses I must sell them, one weighs 1200, 7 years old, dapple gray mare, work single or double, \$15, not fleshy, one brown horse 1100, sound, 9 years old, \$30; one horse 1075, sound, good farm chunk, could work in any kind of rigging, 12 years old, \$35; one driving horse, 1050, sound, kind, used for harness and all, \$50; I have some nice pigs and nice breeding sows, weigh from 60 to 175 each. Call Morse's Farm. Tel. Con. North Woburn, near old car barn.

UPRIGHT PIANO FOR SALE; USED very little; fine condition; must be sold for cash; will sell at bargain. 353 Fletcher st.

TWO HORSES, FOUR WAGONS, Two sleighs for sale. Cyrus W. Russell, formerly of Russell Grocery Co., 576 Merrimack st.

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN
13 room lodging house, modern, well located and always filled with a good class of roomers. Worth \$700. Will sell for \$250.

Stylish sleigh, good as new in every respect, for only \$25.

Bargains in real estate and business opportunities.

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Are your nerves tired out and exhausted? Is your physical and mental tone lowered? Has overwork, worry or other causes left you weak and nervous? Is your sleep disturbed and your digestion upset? If so you will do well to consider the possibility of Mechano Therapy showing you the way back to health, vigor and vitality.

Free consultation. Sunday, 3 to 5; Thursday, 3 to 5 and 7 to 9 p. m. F. A. Magraw, M. T. D., 97 Central st. Tel. 673.

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WYMAN'S EXCHANGE
Bankers and Brokers
SECOND FLOOR

HELP WANTED

INVESTIGATE THIS NEW PARCEL post mail order opportunity if you have time to spare. You can make a side-line business during your spare time. Every detail will be submitted for your inspection. P. O. Box 1218, Providence, R. I.

ABITIOUS YOUNG MEN WANTED for railway mail clerks, 18 to 35 years, \$900 per annum to start. For particulars write A. E. Richards, Springfield, Mass.

EXPERIENCED ARCHITECTURAL draughtsman wanted. Apply in person to James T. Allen, Architect, 253 Essex st., Lawrence, Mass.

WOMEN WANTED TO MAKE aprons, 10 cents per dozen; work sent parcel post; send addressed stamped envelope for particulars. Fenway Specialty Co., 564 Washington st., Boston, Mass.

MAN WANTED, ABOUT 40 TO 50 years of age, resident of Lowell, to act as agent for automobile concern. Man who knows city and people thoroughly, preferred. Apply by letter only, to D. J. Driscoll, New American Hotel, Lowell, Mass.

GOVERNMENT JOBS OPEN TO MEN and women. Big pay. Write for list of positions now available. Franklin Institute, Dept. 164 J., Rochester, N. Y.

SALESMAN WANTED BY WELL known manufacturer to handle high grade specialty sold to manufacturers; exceptional opportunity for big caliber commission man with knowledge of factory systems and operations. Apply F. O. Box M, Chicopee Falls, Mass.

WANTED

A few live wires to take an interest in a syndicate to develop trade in South America. Have project well under way and invite reasonable men who are not satisfied to leave their money at 4% or less to investigate. Want one man to take charge of office here. Call or write, 503 Sun bldg.

Cap Spinners and Ring Twisters wanted at once. Apply Brookside Worsted Mills, Brookside, Mass.

SITUATIONS WANTED

HOUSEWORK WANTED BY CAPABLE woman, with good references. Good cook and laundress. Anna's Wara st.

W. A. LEW
Steam dyeing and cleaning of ladies' and gents' wearing apparel. 39 years in the business.
19 JOHN STREET

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

LAWRENCE PROPERTY FOR SALE. Money making proposition. Two stores and two tenements; pay 15%: \$5000; can be bought for \$1000; purchase date of James J. O'Brien, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Clara Mansur, who prays the letter of testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-seventh day of January, A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each of three successive weeks. In the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be on one day at least before said Court, if it is the mailing post-day, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eighth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

F. M. ESTY, Assr. Register.

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We enable you to take advantage of the January sales at 10 per cent. to 60 per cent. discount, thereby making a profit for yourselves. Others are doing this. Why not you?

If you will call we will gladly explain and advise you.

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LOST AND FOUND
HEAVY STREET BLANKET, BROWN color, lost between Rogers st. and Spaulding park. Finder will be rewarded by returning to Cameron Bros., 155 Middlesex st.

FOUNTAIN PEN, LOST BETWEEN Wentworth ave. and North street, ward if returned to 332 Wentworth ave.

BLUE SILK JAPANESE POCKET-book with ivory and chain handle, lost Sunday morning on Dover or North st. Finder please return to 216 Dover st. Tel. 1241-W. Reward offered.

GOLD LOCKET AND CHAIN LOST on either Hale, Thorndike or Middlesex sts. Saturday afternoon; monogram N. P. S. on it. Reward at 203 Grand st.

FIVE DOLLAR BILL LOST IN MERRIMACK sq. about one o'clock Monday, Jan. 12. Return to N. 8, Sun Office and receive reward.

BROWN POCKETBOOK LOST between Stackpole st. and Fairburn's market. Name and address on bill inside. Reward at 175 Stackpole st.

WHITE DULL TERRIER LOST; female. Liberal reward for return to 253 Gorham st., Leon Mullin.

POCKETBOOK CONTAINING MONEY and Boston trip book lost in or near Nelson's dept. store. Return to address on trip book and receive reward.

GENERAL STRIKE
Causes Suspension of Entire Railroad Service of Portugal

LISBON, Portugal, Jan. 14.—The entire railroad service of Portugal was suspended today on account of the declaration of a general strike by the employees. About one-third of the railroads belong to the state.

Chippewas, Lincoln, Fri., Jan. 16th.

PROBLEMS OF FERTILIZING
Hints in Use of Ground Phosphate Rock—Amount Per Acre and How It May be Applied

More and more is the New England farmer realizing the value of proper care of the land and the importance of good fertilizing. Some of them are using ground phosphate rock in connection with the manure and are trying different methods of mixing it before applying to the field.

Raw phosphate rock is not a good absorbent, but if it is sprinkled in the gutters behind the cows after the manure is removed it tends to dry them, just as would any dry, powdered material. Most practical men believe that somewhere in the neighborhood of 50 to 60 pounds of the rock phosphate should be applied to every acre if the land has a fairly good supply of phosphorus; more than this can be used if the land is deficient. In the same way it has been found that the best results are obtained when from 8 to 10 tons of barnyard manure are used to the acre. Hence, the adding of about 60 or 80 pounds of raw rock phosphate to the ton of manure will make the necessary combination of 500 to 600 pounds per acre.

It is always a better plan to draw the manure directly to the fields from the barn. This is the time when the manure is the most efficient, and a greater percentage of the fertility may be saved by using this method. However, there are times when this method is impractical and in the same time there may be a demand for well-rotted manure. If this is the case, the manure may be placed in a concrete receptacle which may or may not be covered.

A little heat does not injure manure, according to the experience of many farmers, but horse manure is in dan-

WATER VERY RUSTY
The city water in certain sections of Lowell was very rusty this morning, according to reports from many residents and the cause of this, it is believed, was the shutting off of the Cook wells. Especially in Belvidere the water was thick with rust and mud and it was stated that the large amount of water used by the fire department in extinguishing last night's many fires might have had something to do with the disturbance of the water in the pipes.

New novelties, Associate Friday.

WHY HE NEVER MARRIED
"Why is it that you have never married?"
"When I was a boy my father and others who possessed the benefit of experience advised me not to marry until I had saved up at least \$10,000."
"Have you ever been able to save that much?"
"Yes; but a fellow learns such a lot while he is saving \$10,000."—Chicago Record-Herald.

A HAPPY BALD HEADED MAN
Well-Known Politician Nearly Bald Now Has Heavy Growth of Hair—Tells How He Did It

A western politician, well known on account of his baldness and ready wit, surprised his friends by appearing with a heavy growth of hair; many of his old friends did not know him and others thought he had a wig. On being asked how he did it, he made the following statement: "I attribute the remarkable growth of my hair to the use of the following simple recipe which any lady or gentleman can mix at home: To a half pint of water add 1 oz. of bay rum, a small box of Barbo Compound and 1/2 ounce of glycerine. Apply the scalp two or three times a week with the finger tips. It not only promotes the growth of the hair but removes dandruff, scalp humors, and prevents the hair from falling out. It darkens streaked, faded, gray hair and makes the hair soft and glossy. These ingredients can be purchased at any drug store at very little cost and mixed at home."

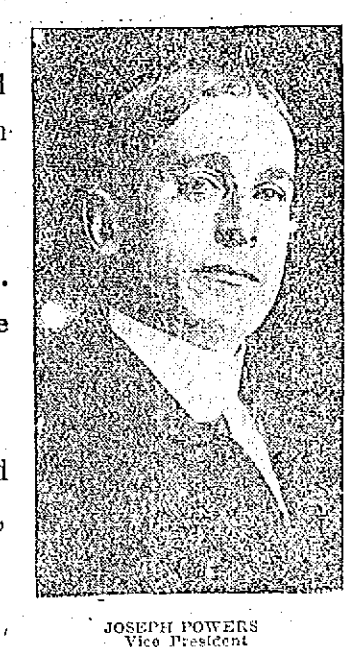
LOCAL CARMEN INSTALL OFFICERS



Held Smoke Talk and Entertainment in Rooms Last Evening

Addresses by Messrs. Shine, Sproule, Bryne and Pres. Crowley

Smoking Set Presented to Chas. A. Gallagher, Retiring Secretary



Division 250, the local union of the Street Railway Employees of America, installed its recently elected officers at the regular smoke talk held at its rooms in the Rutels building last evening.

Owing to the pressure of union business in Boston, Organizer Fred Pay, who had been expected to address the members, was not present, but another Boston leader, Thomas Shine, gave a rousing address on the principles of unionism as it affected the destinies of the street railway men. In his remarks Mr. Shine referred to the loyalty with which the local conductors and motormen assisted their striking brethren in Boston during the recent street railway conflict. Another speaker whose remarks were listened to with deep interest was ex-President William E. Sproule. Mr. Sproule, who is one of the leading men in the Trades and Labor council, elucidated the nine-hour law and pointed out the good effects it would have on the lives of the railway men. A visitor, Philip J. Byrne of Brockton, walking delegate for the Dock and Shoe Workers' union, pleaded for unity in buying as well as in making goods, and emphasized the necessity of always demanding the union label on all possible purchases.

President Fred Crowley presided and during the course of the evening spoke in a happy vein on the material road which the union already has accomplished for the railway men.

The musical program was carried through with marked success. This was opened by Andrew Doyle, who sang "The My Heart" with splendid effect. A classical composition was

next rendered by John Green with fine tone color. John Payne followed this with one of his rhyt-ticking monologues. Then Joseph Walsh of Chelsea sang "To Have, to Hold, to Love" with stirring emphasis, and John Mohr, in unusually beautiful voice, gave some of his well known Scottish airs with rare sweetness. A trio consisting of McNulty sang a medley of songs, which were enthusiastically applauded. This brought the musical program to a close.

A pleasant feature of the meeting was the presentation of a handsome smoking set to the retiring secretary, Charles A. Gallagher, in recognition of his long term of faithful service in this position.

The following officers were inducted into office: President, Fred Crowley; vice president, Joseph Powers; recording secretary, John J. Kelley; financial secretary and treasurer, Thomas C. Sullivan; day warden, Thomas Griffin; night warden, Michael O'Brien; board of trustees, John Lyons, Emerson McLean and Joseph Shea; executive board, Patrick Fell, Martin McNamara, Michael W. Regan, Thomas Powers, Edward J. Donnelly; auditor, Patrick Lowe; correspondent to Motormen and Conductors, F. Toohy.

The success of last night's meeting was due to the untiring efforts of a committee headed by Patrick Fell.

STEAMER ABOVE WATER

MESSAGE RECEIVED BY COBEQUID AGENTS AT ST. JOHNS, N. F., THIS MORNING

ST. JOHNS, N. F., Jan. 14.—The steamer Cobequid was above water at 10 a. m. today, according to a message received by the agents here.

It was also reported that the government steamer Lady Laurier had caught the Cobequid's distress call by wire. The Lady Laurier is on the way from Halifax and should be near Brierley Island, the reported scene of the wreck, by this time.

RACING TO RESCUE

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—The North German Lloyd liner Kronprinzessin Cecilie, reported yesterday to be among the vessels racing to the rescue of the stranded steamship Cobequid, was passing Nantuxet at 4.30 a. m. today and should reach her dock shortly.

No word has been received by the line this morning from her commander as to whether he received the Cobequid's wireless calls for help.

Everybody is talking Asea, Friday.

FROZEN TO DEATH

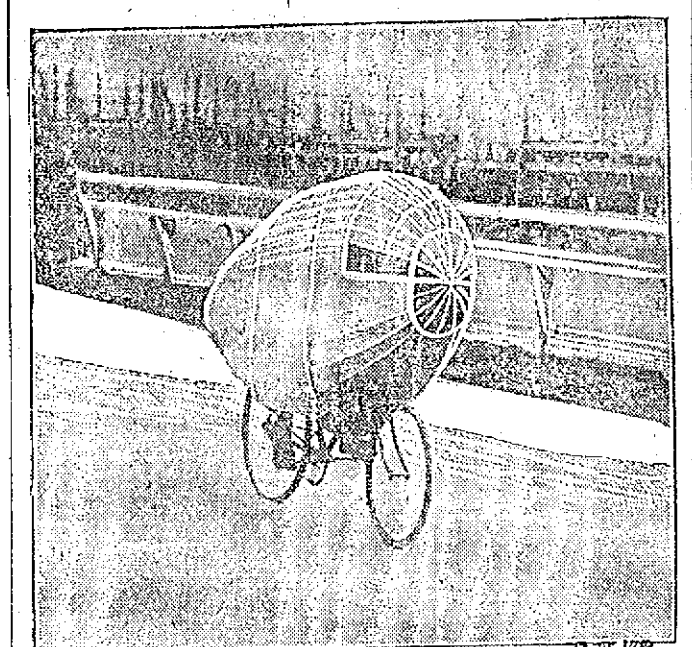
Body of Unknown Man Found at Worcester Today

WORCESTER, Jan. 14.—With three cents in the pockets, the body of an unknown man was found frozen stiff on Pleasant street here early this morning.

The city street sweeper from the continued cold today, with the mercury eight below zero at daylight.

Ideal Campers, Associate Hall, Friday.

NOT A COCOON ON WHEELS, BUT A BIKE RACER WITH WIND SHIELD



VARILLA RACING AGAINST TIME

Bunau Varilla, the Parisian cycle racer, has invented a wind shield enabling him to break many records. It is an egg shaped framework covered with silk. The illustration shows Varilla racing against time on a French track.

POLICE COURT SESSION
The docket at the police court this morning was exceptionally small, for there were but four offenders, three of whom were for drunkenness and the other for non-support of his wife.

Michael McCabe, who was fined \$5 for drunkenness last Monday, was in again this morning and the court ordered him to the common jail for a term of 20 days. Stephen R. Richards, a parole man from the state farm, was returned to that institution, while

John Gray was also given a free pass to the same place.

Howard Ebbett pleaded not guilty to a complaint charging him with neglect to provide proper support for his wife, and his case was continued till Friday morning.

Chippewas, Lincoln, Fri., Jan. 16th.

IMPORTANT TO ALL WOMEN
READERS OF THIS PAPER

Thousands upon thousands of women have kidney or bladder trouble and never suspect it.

Women's complaints often prove to be nothing else but kidney trouble, or the result of kidney or bladder disease.

If the kidneys are not in a healthy condition, they may cause the other organs to become diseased.

You may suffer a great deal with pain in the back, bearing-down feelings, headache and loss of ambition.

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HELD LIVELY MEETING

Continued

make a creditable showing for the year of 1914.

I might say that we are beginning to realize more and more that our parks and commons are not for the purpose of being merely looked upon, as one would view a work of art. They have a practical and even nobler purpose. They open their doors to all people, of all classes, and of all ages—and in this way, they have a healthful, moral and educational effect on the citizen. Many park authorities go so far as to say that the people who patronize a park are really a component part of it, and that without them it would not even be one. Recognizing the broader value of our parks, the park officials of today should feel it his duty to constitute conditions so that the interest of the citizen in his parks shall be active instead of passive, and that the parks shall thereby be put to their wisest use.

"Happy hearts and happy faces, Happy play in grassy places, That was how in ancient ages, Children grew to kings and sages!"

Robert Louis Stevenson.

Everybody Likes to Play

Even the grown-up when he relaxes from his labors, be he a professional man, shop keeper, laborer, or whatever his vocation in life may be, his first impulse is toward play. The sporting page of the newspaper has his first attention. He wants to know if "Carriers" caught for the Red Sox, if "Ed Walsh" of the White Sox pitched a shut-out game, if "Home Run Baker" of the White Elephants knocked the cover off the ball, etc.

Anatole France, one of the greatest savants in the world, says that the wise man never puts away childish things. He doesn't say why, but the reason is that it is in the childish things that most men find their recreation and recreation is an absolute necessity to physical and mental health.

The thing most salient that needs to be recognized concerning play, is that it is not a luxury, but a necessity. It is not merely something that a child likes to have; it is something that he must have, if he is ever to mature and grow up.

"The universal impulse to play is a divinely ordered thing. If God gives the instinct, man ought to provide the playground."

"Josiah Strong."

Playgrounds Everywhere

In almost every city of the United States and Canada, we find children's elaborate playground systems in operation, where every imaginable form of enjoyment, physical and mental, can be indulged in by children of varying ages, all being carried out systematically under the instruction and supervision of persons who have made the subject a study. No finer work could be undertaken by the civic authorities, than this work among the children, whose development into healthy and useful members of the community depends quite as much upon physical as upon mental exercise. Children must have their play and it must be largely on public lands, since private lands in cities are so occupied as to exclude without these public grounds their only outlet for recreation. It is not merely a matter of convenience, but a necessity, for the health and happiness of the community, that the playgrounds be provided for in cities by public playgrounds.

"The patient with the boys, who are dealing with soulful—Daddy waits just around the corner."

"Elbert Hubbard."

Now Have Play

From our observations we learn that play is one of the inalienable rights of childhood. It means that we have learned that the street is an unsatisfactory place for children to play. That play properly directed teaches self-control, and upon this rests the foundations of our government. Self-government cannot be successfully taught as a theory; it must be learned as an experience. A properly conducted playground develops a better physical manhood and a higher moral standard of living.

Here in Lowell we have five public playgrounds, two of which are supported in part by the Middlesex Woman's club and College club of Lowell.

The expense of the public baths, a

most valuable adjunct to our playgrounds, at the Elliot school near the South common, is met by the Middlesex Woman's club, which is close to \$200 alone for maintenance.

The baths, opened as they are in the morning and afternoon with two ladies and one man as attendants, are taxed to their fullest capacity. Anywhere from 200 to 300 children take advantage of them during the hot summer days. A schedule is arranged whereby the children from one particular playground have the use of the baths on a certain day each week. A test of their popularity may be cited from the fact that some 75 children came from West Centralville one hot day last summer, a distance of one mile and a half, that they might enjoy a shower bath.

"There is no better way to teach a boy to be honorable and straight than to give him an opportunity to play normally with his fellows."

"Gov. Chas. Evans Hughes."

Not Money Enough

The sum of \$1000 was allotted by the city government for playground work the last summer and when you start away with fixed charges, which include the full amount of the \$1000 appropriated for the pay of teachers and only supplies enough for the first week in

necessary equipment would be needed to take up this very important work. It should recommend that \$2500 be appropriated to carry on tree work for the year of 1914.

Conclusion

In conclusion I desire to thank the board of park commissioners for the encouragement and support given during the year, the employees of the department for their faithfulness, the officials, the playground teachers, the newspapers, and the public in general, for the many kind favors rendered, and the spirit of co-operation that has been shown in this department in carrying forward its work. A continuation of these relations is earnestly desired and anticipated.

Respectfully submitted,

John W. Kernan,

Engineer and Superintendent.

Broderick's, Lincoln, Fri. eve.

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60x76 White and gray. Regular \$1.25, 98c pair	66x80 All wool, white. Regular price \$6.00, \$4.59 pair
64x80 White, pink or blue border. Regular \$1.30, \$1.10 pair	Comforters, 72x72, 90c, \$1.25, \$1.59, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50 each

SCHOOL NEEDS DISCUSSED

Conference Between Aldermen and School Board—Mayor Murphy Opposed to \$300,000 Loan

The members of the municipal council and those of the school board met in conference last night for the purpose of discussing housing propositions for the high and industrial schools. The meeting was held in the mayor's reception room and present were Mayor Murphy, Commissioners Brown, Carmichael, Donnelly and Morse; School committee men Dr. Lambert, Campbell, Cairns and Simpson, as well as Supt. Molloy, Principal Irish of the high school and Principal Fisher of the industrial school. The matter was talked over for hours, but at the close of the conference no decision was reached. The mayor, however, informed the school committee that if a bill to borrow \$300,000 was brought before the legislature by the board, he would personally go before the legislators and expose it, for he believes the city is not in a financial condition to undertake such a burden.

A teacher. The number considered by all authorities is 30 pupils to each teacher. He said eight more teachers would be needed for efficient work, for at the present time the high school, he said, is 20 to 25 per cent. less efficient for teaching children than any other school of its kind. He suggested that a school for 1,000 pupils be erected, stating that 240 young men and women can be placed there at the outstart. The hall at the school could accommodate 100, but in order to have class rooms there, it would be necessary to send the pupils' home when exercises of any nature are carried on in the hall. Speaking about the plans of the committee Mr. Irish said five lots on Kirk street and two on Anne street have been selected and the assessed value is \$100,000. The enrollment at the school consists of 781 girls and 658 boys.

At this point Colonel Carmichael suggested that the boys and girls be separated for he believed the teachers would get better results, but Principal Irish said the custom in this country is to bring up boys and girls together. He said he believed a girls' school could be conducted on a much more economical basis, but he did not favor removing the children from the present location of the high school, for the building is new in the centre of transportation, which helps the pupils to get to school on time and home in reasonable time.

Mayor Murphy said the city has no money and if the council were to separate the boys and girls, it would be necessary to show some immediate need or urgent necessity. He said the city is now providing for 150 children in the high school, from the suburban towns, and he suggested that these children be sent to their respective towns and their places taken

by Lowell pupils. Mr. Campbell informed him the towns were paying the city \$3000 a year for tuition, but the money was not being paid. He said the amount compared with the cost of building a new high school. Mr. Irish said if the 150 children were released from the school, there would remain a surplus of 100, not counting the coming increase.

Industrial School
The industrial school was then taken up, and Principal Fisher said the industrial school pupils are not well housed. He said the buildings were occupied by the industrial school pupils because it was feared the buildings might fall. If the buildings were not good enough for grammar school pupils, he said, to see where they will surely hold machinery. In reply to a question from the mayor, Mr. Fisher said there are six cities in Massachusetts conducting industrial schools and that the schools have now passed the experimental stage. He believed in constructing a large building on the ledge site in Bowers street, and said this could be done at moderate expense for the site is already owned by the city.

Mr. Campbell said the city owns property to the amount of about \$100,000 which could easily be disposed of and the revenue from the sales would have been used to help the construction of an industrial school. The high school matter was again recalled and then the council discussed to matters pertaining to streets and sewers, and after discussing departmental matters, the conference adjourned. The mayor stated that a second conference would probably be held within a week.

CAR TRAFFIC DELAYED

By Slight Collision on Central Street After 9 O'Clock Last Night—Slippery Rails Caused Accident

Considerable inconvenience was caused about 9 o'clock last night when a slight rear end collision knocked the trucks of one car off the tracks on Central street near Middlesex. Before the car was replaced on the rails a long line of cars was waiting in Prescott street. Slippery rails it was said caused the accident.

THE KASINO

"Music hath charms," the poet wrote. Ah, yes, to this you will agree. But there is in music, if you will note, a difference as big as big can be. Music, tuncful, sparkling, thrilling is yours for skating at your willing on Kasino Hill, where conditions ideal reign to the tune of the little wheel. Every Thursday, Friday and Saturday afternoon and evening. Kasino patrons skate to hand music.

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On account of the extreme cold weather C. F. Keyes will not hold his Furniture Sale on Thursday, January 15. See this paper later for date of sale.

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Miss Mabel Craig is seriously ill at her home, 95 West Sixth street.

The stockholders of the Appleton National bank held their annual meeting yesterday and re-elected the following officers and directors: George E. King, president; M. T. Pierce, cashier; Fred A. Nuttall, Frank L. Putnam, Charles H. Allen, Frederick J. Fleming, Jesse H. Shepard, George H. Russell, Jesse H. Shepard, George H. Russell, Edwin C. Morrison, George E. King, Edwin L. Fletcher, directors.

The members of the Elliot Congregational church have elected the following officers: F. A. P. Coburn, clerk; Edward L. Sargent, treasurer; Fred M. Harris, auditor; Charles F. Fleming, deacon for four years; Louis A. Olney, Mrs. Adeline H. Forrest, Mrs. E. P. Sargent, Miss Estelle L. Whitney, elective members of the standing committee. A visiting committee of 15 members was chosen with Mrs. Louis A. Olney as chairman.

EXTENSION SCHOOL WORK

What Massachusetts is Doing to Help Farmers Who Live Far from Agricultural College

There is hardly a farmer who has not heard of Farmers' week and it is now a settled feature of practically every state agricultural college. An agricultural college men now admit that Farmers' Week has played an important part in the growth of the college. Unfortunately, however, the men most benefited by these meetings were the farmers who lived nearby the college town and were close to the influence of the college itself. The farmer who lived back in the country, off the main roads, was not reached. Therefore, the Massachusetts Agricultural college has held a number of Farmers' Weeks in out of the way places. The courses are strictly practical and are illustrated by practical demonstrations of cattle, horse and poultry judging, mixing of fertilizers, seed selection and corn judging, as well as actual orchard work.

These extension schools last five days, and in the six lectures that are given daily occur condensed courses of the regular agricultural work of the college.

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City Council Calls For Help

FIRES HELD UP BOSTON TRAINS

Switch Tower Outside No. Station
and Round House at So. Station,
Boston, Gutted

BOSTON, Jan. 14.—The burning of a switch tower 100 yards outside of the North Union station placed an additional handicap on the train service of the Boston & Maine road today. The cold weather had curtailed the service considerably but the greater part of the morning rush from the suburbs was over when the tower was burned. Four men in the building had some difficulty in escaping.

The yard was blocked completely and passengers were obliged to take and leave trains at East Somerville, two miles outside of the station. The Boston & Maine officials said they would have the station in operation by noon.

As a result of the fire orders were issued discontinuing for two days service on the Saugus branch of the road.

Incoming trains stopped at East Somerville, where all passengers who could be accommodated boarded a special shuttle train which carried them to the North station.

Service on the New Haven road out of the South terminal station was also hampered by fire. A blaze was discovered in a round house in the tower street yards and the water poured into the building by the firemen covered many locomotives with a sheet of ice and rendered them temporarily unfit for service.

FREIGHT TRAIN WRECKED

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Jan. 14.—Through trains between New York and Boston on the New Haven road were delayed today by the wrecking of a freight train between Weymouth Junction and Dedfield. The train, known as "L. B. 2," had a broken wheel and the Boston bound trains were sent around on the Willimantic branch. The tracks were cleared before noon. None was injured.

Chippewa, Lincoln, Fri., Jan. 16th.

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will find petitions for special election on this subject for signing in all sections of the City as follows:

PAWTUCKETVILLE

L'Esperance's Drug Store, Moody street; Joseph B. V. Coburn's Grocery, Mammoth Road; Holland's Drug Store, Mammoth Road.

WARDS 2 and 7

Sullivan's Barber Shop, Liberty Square; Lynch's Barber Shop, Richardson Hotel; Brown's Drug Store, Broadway; Kennedy's Barber Shop, Broadway; McNabb's Drug Store, Broadway; Frayne's Barber Shop, Merrimack street; Doyle's Barber Shop, Liberty Square; Lowell Pharmacy, Merrimack street; Quill's Barber Shop, Cabot street; Frye & Crawford's Drug Store, Merrimack street; St. John's Pool Room, Merrimack street; Dalgie's Barber Shop, Merrimack and Cabot streets.

CENTRALVILLE

Duffy's Cigar Store, Bridge St.; Noonan's Drug Store, Bridge and First Sts.; Wells' Drug Store, Bridge St.; Sparks' Drug Store, Lakeview avenue; Downs' Cigar Store, Bridge and Fifth streets.

BELVIDERE

Brunette's Pharmacy, E. Merrimack St.; Concord Drug Store, E. Merrimack St.; Andover Pharmacy, Andover and Fayette Sts.

WARDS 4 and 5

Scott's Pool Room, Middlesex street; Keefe's Barber Shop, Lawrence street; Phelan's Drug Store, Gorham street; Carr's Pool Room, Gorham street; Davis Square Drug Store, Field's Drug Store, Gorham street; Quirbach's Cigar Store, Gorham street.

WARDS 3 and 8

George's Drug Store, Chelmsford St.; Steeves' Drug Store, Chelmsford St.; Page's Drug Store, Westford and Pine Sts.; Wilson's Drug Store, School and Branch Sts.; Deslandes' Barber Shop, Branch and Nichols Sts.; Walker's Drug Store, Middlesex St.; Falls & Burkinshaw's Drug Store, Middlesex St.

WANTS ASSISTANCE

Special Meeting to Take Action on
Proposition to Borrow \$300,000 Beyond the Debt Limit — Other City Hall News

Mayor Dennis J. Murphy has called another special meeting of the municipal council. The meeting will be held late this afternoon and is called for the purpose of taking definite action on the proposition to borrow \$300,000 beyond the debt limit for the purpose of relieving the temporary loan situation. The bill to be presented to the legislature on Saturday next has been drafted and will be discussed in its entirety at the special meeting. The bill, it is understood, will have the support of Chief Gettely of the state board of statistics. It is understood, too, that this bill will receive the support of the

Lowell delegation at the state house. A similar bill was presented by the government for 1912-13, but it was opposed in the legislature by Representatives Jewell and Achin of this city. It seems, however, that these gentlemen have changed their minds and will assist in promoting the bill to be introduced on Saturday.

Street Department Closed

There is nothing doing in the street department at the present time. The department closed down yesterday on account of the cold weather and will remain closed until tomorrow morning. Commissioner Morse rather anticipates a snow storm because of the very cold snap and he wants to get as much ice off the streets as possible

before the snow comes. Mr. Morse says that his plans for the year, so far as help is concerned, are more or less in the abstract but he expects to have them concreted or smoothed paved in a little while and when he does he will tell us all about it.

More Names Filed

Albert S. Howard was a caller at the office of the city clerk this forenoon and he was laden with names. The referendum papers were before the municipal council yesterday and were sent back to the city clerk's office because of an insufficiency of names. Mr. Howard arrived at the clerk's office this morning with about 900 more names in his inside pocket. He allowed that

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McMANMON NURSERY DESTROYED BY FIRE

The Dwelling and Barn Were Also
Burned — Supt. Saunders Could Not
Send Any Help to Fight Fire

A disastrous fire occurred last night at the home and nursery of James J. McManmon in Brookside, Dracut, and before the flames were extinguished



JAMES J. McMANMON

the well appointed residence of the local florist and his barn were entirely destroyed, while the nursery and stock were badly damaged. The loss is estimated at about \$25,000.

How the fire started is not known, but it is believed it was caused through an overheated boiler in the cellar of the house. When the flames were discovered a hurried call was sent to the local fire department, but Chief Saunders absolutely refused to allow his men to go to the scene of the conflagration, giving for reasons that the city could not remain without protection, and also that the trip to Brookside would be a hazardous one on the part of the members of the department on account of the dark,

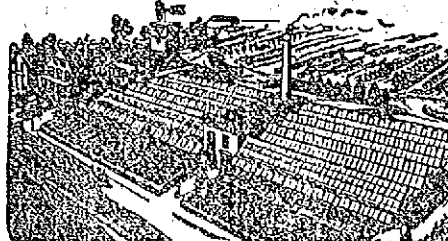
slippery roads. As a last appeal, Mayor Murphy was called up by telephone, but after the chief magistrate had talked the matter over with the chief, he decided not to take a hand in the matter.

A call for volunteers was sent through the town and in a short time over 100 men had responded and all worked strenuously, but their efforts proved fruitless inasmuch as they were not equipped with the proper apparatus, and they had much difficulty in getting water, the only resource being the driven well and the brook running alongside of the house. It was

checked, but not before considerable damage had been caused to the green house and its contents. There was considerable livestock in the barn, but fortunately all were saved. The loss is estimated at about \$20,000, partly covered by insurance.

Mr. McManmon Overcome

At 1 o'clock this afternoon James McManmon collapsed at the remains of his home in Kenwood after working all night and all morning to save the remains of his greenhouse. The water tower was burned and he had to pump water into the boilers all night to keep up the heat. The dwelling is a total loss and practically all the furniture and clothing was destroyed with the building. Great sympathy is felt for Mr. McManmon and family. The chief insurance was on his furniture and that was but a trifle. There was no insurance on the nursery which with the exception of one tier was a total loss. The suddenness of the fire and its destructive effects was a great shock to Mrs. McManmon who, however, is thankful that her children escaped with their lives.



VIEW OF THE McMANMON NURSERY AT KENWOOD

Second Edition

FOR LATER LOCAL AND TELEGRAPHIC NEWS AND TODAY'S
STOCK MARKET REPORT SEE NEXT EDITION

FROZEN CREW OF JOHN PAUL SAVED

Five Members Rescued as They
Were Being Swept to Sea—
Cook Died From Exposure

VINEYARD HAVEN, Jan. 14.—Five members of the crew of the schooner John Paul, which sank in the sound, early yesterday, were rescued as they were being swept to sea by the crew of the Cross Rip lightship. The cook, John Thor of New York, died from exposure just before the rescue of his companions. The rescue of the men was due to the alertness of the lightship's deckwatch, who heard the call of the men from the Paul and summoned the lightship's crew on deck, so that half a dozen lines were thrown as the longboat of the Paul swept by Captain E. B. Phillips of Dennisport directed the transfer of the frost-bitten crew from the longboat to the deck of the lightship.

During the drift down to the lightship the longboat was filled with water four times and Thor succumbed to cold and exhaustion.

Just before reaching the lightship the survivors began to shout lustily and the cry was heard. As their boat bobbed by the lightship they had just strength enough to catch one of the lines thrown to them and make it fast. It took nearly half an hour to drag

them over the side of the lightship. Captain Phillips would not allow any of his crew to go down into the longboat for the body of the cook.

A lightship tender which rescued the crew of the schooner F. G. Porter, Fort Amboy for Calais, which was left in a leaking condition off Point Gammon, stopped at the Cross Rip on the way up the sound today and brought the five men here. Two of them were taken to the marine hospital to be treated for frost bites.

"We owe our lives to that deck watchman on the lightship and Capt. Phillips and his crew," said Captain Hutchinson of the John Paul as he stepped ashore today.

FUNERAL NOTICE

McNAMARA.—Died in this city, Jan. 13 at his home, 13 North street, Joseph H. McNamara, aged 52 years. Funeral will take place from his home, 13 North street, Thursday morning at 8:15 o'clock. Funeral services at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock.

LOCAL NEWS

The progressive city committee will meet tomorrow night at 8 o'clock at their rooms for the purpose of reorganizing for the ensuing year. The ward committees will be called upon for their reports and a long business session is expected.

The agency of Frank M. Brogan held the insurance on the McManmon residence, barn and contents burned last night.

Collins & Hogan held the insurance on the Harry Loures & Co. bakery, 48 Lewis street, badly damaged by fire this morning.

SWIMMING MEET

—Y. M. C. A.—
Thursday, 8 P. M.
LOWELL vs. BEVERLY
Admission 15c; Reserved Seats 25c

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CURLEY ELECTED MAYOR GENERAL STRIKE CALLED

Congressman Chosen Over Councilor Kenny by 5720 Majority—McDonal, Coleman and Woods Elected to City Council—Scannell and Corcoran Get School Committee Places—Heavy License Majority

THE VOTE FOR MAYOR

CURLEY	43,262
KENNY	37,542
Total Vote	80,804
Curley's Majority	5,720

IN 1910

Fitzgerald	47,177
Storrow	45,775
Hibbard	1,814
Taylor	613
Total Vote	95,393
Fitzgerald's Plurality	1,402

THE VOTE FOR SCHOOL COMMITTEE

*SCANNELL, P. S. A.	50,831
*CORCORAN, P. S. A.	44,855
BOGAN	29,991
KEYES	21,961

*Elected

THE VOTE FOR CITY COUNCIL

*McDONALD, C. M. L., G. G. A.	48,844
*COLEMAN, C. M. L., G. G. A.	36,877
*WOODS	34,306
HAGAN, C. M. L., G. G. A.	34,040
KEARNS	30,707
KNEELAND	27,946

*Elected

THE VOTE FOR LICENSE

YES	48,341
NO	26,908
Majority for License, 21,433	

In South Africa—Governmental Retaliation Swift in Proclamation of Martial Law

CAPE TOWN, Jan. 14.—A general strike throughout South Africa was proclaimed last night by the trades federation and the Rand miners by a two-thirds majority voted to join in the movement. Governmental retaliation was swift in the proclamation of martial law.

If the miners obey the strike order, the government will immediately take steps to send all native workmen under escort back to their kraals. This means that about 200,000 natives must be marched back by road their homes at enormous cost. It will be most difficult, after the end of the strike, to recruit them again, and such a step would mean disaster for the Rand for many years.

Although official reports from Johannesburg show improvement in the train service, reports from other districts are less encouraging. In Natal it is feared that the loyalty of the trainmen will not stand the strain much longer.

Practically no information is at hand

as to the conditions in the Orange Free state, but improvement there is not considered probable.

From the government's standpoint about the only ray of light in the situation today was the assurance from the Indian leader Gandhi that the passive resistance movement by the Indians would be dropped during the present trouble.

The Union government remains firm in its attitude. Premier Louis Botha is said to have declared that he would "guarantee that with the end of the present crisis there would not be another workers' strike in South Africa for a generation."

Premier Botha has addressed a circular to the natives advising them to obey the command managers, assuring them of the fullest protection. The circular seems to have had an excellent effect.

The strikers are now making strenuous attempts to bring out the running staffs of the Cape Colony railways, but the pickets are not allowed to approach within 100 yards of the quarters where the railway employees are housed.

FRED A. BUTTRICK DIES SUDDENLY

Passed Away at His Home Without Any Apparent Illness

President of Local Bank and Well Known in Business Circles



THE LATE FRED A. BUTTRICK

Fred A. Buttrick, president of the City Institution for Savings and one of the most prominent bankers in Lowell, died very suddenly last evening at his home, 4 Hanks street, aged 65 years.

Although Mr. Buttrick had not enjoyed the most rugged health for some time, he was apparently in good physical condition. He attended to the many important duties of his position without complaint and yesterday he appeared in his usual health. In the afternoon he visited the home of his son, Winthrop, on Andover street, and after partaking of the evening meal he played cards for some time with visiting friends and members of his family. He left the home of his son about 8:30 p. m. and started for his own residence. Getting off the car at the junction of Andover and Nesmith streets, he walked from there home. The wind blew strongly at the time and when Mr. Buttrick arrived home he was much fatigued. He then lay down on a couch to rest and in a short time passed away without apparent suffering.

Mr. Buttrick was president of the

City Institution for Savings for over 25 years. He was made treasurer about 1875 after he had worked there as a clerk for many years. He was also a director in the Appleton bank. He will be missed in the business and financial life of the city and by the many friends attracted to him by his sincere nature, his nobility of character and his high intellectual attainments.

The sympathy of the people of the city goes out to his wife who survives him, to his daughter, Miss Eleanor Buttrick and to his son, Mr. Winthrop Buttrick.

There was a heavy progressive vote in the suburban wards for Congressman Curley. This vote was largely attributed to the stand taken by Chairman Matthew Hale of the progressive city committee in the contest.

This and the fact that the republican vote did not come out as heavily as four years ago were largely responsible for the disappointing showing made by Mr. Kenny in the outlying districts.

Hyde Park, or ward 26, which participated in its first mayoralty election, gave Mr. Kenny a majority of over 500 votes.

League Support a Handicap

The worst handicap that Councillor Kenny suffered in his fight was the support of the Citizens' Municipal league. The feeling against this organization was in evidence throughout the entire city, and particularly in the strong democratic wards.

The prejudice against league, which dates back to four years ago, was considerably enhanced in the contest by the frauds which were revealed in the examination of the nomination papers.

There is no question but that the Citizens' Municipal league will be disbanded within the next few months.

The majorities given to Mr. Kenny in the republican wards did not hold up in comparison with the vote given to James J. Storrow four years ago. There was a bad falling off in ward 10,

where ex-Senator Innes was supporting Councillor Kenny. Four years ago ward 11 gave Mr. Storrow a majority of 222 votes over Mayor Fitzgerald. Yesterday it only gave Councillor Kenny a majority of 163 votes with only 2655 votes cast, as against 3479 four years ago. There was the same lack of republican support in other strong republican wards.

Four years ago Mr. Storrow carried ward 22, which was yesterday won by Congressman Curley. The defeat of Henry E. Hagan, the Citizens' Municipal league candidate for the city council, by ex-Alderman Woods of Brighton, was one of the biggest surprises of the day.

Abolish Tunnel Tolls

The act abolishing the tolls in the East Boston tunnel was carried by a majority of 5197 votes. The vote was: yes 31,123, no 26,026.

The workmen's compensation act as affecting public employees was accepted by a majority of 32,353. The vote was: yes 45,583, no 12,614. The act fixing an eight-hour day for public employees was carried by a majority of 13,005. The vote was: yes 52,018, no 5048.

Ideal Campore, Miner's Asso., Friday.

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MEN'S FLANNELETTE NIGHT SHIRTS, 38c
Cat full size in good quality domest flannel. Regular price 50c. Sale price.....38c

MEN'S WOOL COAT SWEATERS.....\$2.19
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MEN'S FLEECE LINED UNDERWEAR, 37c
Jersey ribbed shirts and drawers in navy only, all sizes. Regular price 50c. Sale price, each.....37c

MEN'S FLANNELETTE PAJAMAS, SUIT 79c
Extra quality domest in handsome patterns, all sizes. Regular price \$1.00, \$1.50. Sale price.....79c

MEN'S HEAVY SHAKER SWEATERS, \$3.49
Maroon and oxford gray, made with roll collars (small lot). Regular price \$5.00. Sale price.....\$3.49

MEN'S FLANNELETTE NIGHT SHIRTS, 71c
Made with military or roll collar, sizes 15 to 19 inch neck. Regular price \$1.00. Sale price.....71c

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Medium and large sizes, good patterns. Regular price \$3.00. Sale price.....\$1.95

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MEN'S COAT SWEATERS.....95c
With and without collar, all sizes. Reg. price \$1.50, \$2.00. Sale price.....95c

MEN'S NATURAL WOOL UNDERWEAR, 81c
Double and single breasted shirts, drawers with double seat, all sizes. Regular price \$1. Sale price, each.....81c

MEN'S NEGLIGEE SHIRTS.....37c
Made of good quality materials, coat style. Regular price 50c. Sale price.....37c

MEN'S AND BOYS' NECKWEAR.....17c
Four-in-hand and hook on styles, made of silk, good assortment of patterns to select from. Regular price 25c. Sale price.....17c

BOYS' WOOL COAT SWEATERS.....79c
Made with and without collars, in maroon, gray and navy blue, sizes 26 to 34. Regular price \$1.00. Sale price.....79c

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BOYS' PAJAMAS (Broken sizes).....46c
Made of percale and flannelette, neat patterns. Regular price 60c. Sale price.....46c

BOYS' BELL BLOUSES.....37c
Made of fine percale and ginghams, ages 6 to 15 years. Regular price 50c. Sale price 37c

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Scene From Gus Edwards' Musical Comedy at the B. F. Keith Theatre.

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the Keith theatre any time this week, and take a look at Gus Edwards' "School Boys and Girls." They give one of the prettiest and at the same time liveliest of acts, called "Graduation Day." And don't overlook the fact that diminutive Dolly Chiff is one of the most fascinating stage kiddies seen here in years. She's everything that the eye ought to be as an entertainer, and that isn't stating it too forte, either. In "Motoring," the Harry Tate act, based upon the fads and follies of the motor car owner, one simply cannot refrain from bursting into hilarious laughter. Made for mirth-provoking purposes it serves its purpose flawlessly. Frank Wood and Bunnie Wyde, in a singing and dancing skit called "Good Night," have one of the neatest of offerings and Russell & Scott, male dancers, rattle out various dances in splendid manner. Other things on the bill which are good, are: Vedder & Morgan in a sketch, Loretta & Bud, in posing; Valentine Vox, ventriloquist, and the Pathe Weekly. Good seats may be secured in advance at the box office. Phone 28.

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE
William A. Brady's production of George Broadhurst's wonderfully attractive play "Bought and Paid For" which comes to the Opera House tonight, is a forceful story, including characters of people in all walks of life, from the struggling telephone operator to the multi-millionaire, around whom the story is written. The characters are seemingly alive, sympathetic and soulful. This production rendered William A. Brady the peer of producers when the cost of the cast and scenic equipment are to be reckoned with.

The leading roles are played by Frank Mills, Eleanor Flower, Marion Lord and F. X. Conlan, and they are ably assisted by Marie Hard, Makoto Inokuchi and Alex C. Carlton.

The production is most elaborate, every piece of furniture, bric-a-brac, draperies, and even the floor coverings are carried with the production—and an unusual dramatic treat is promised.

NEWMARK SQUARE THEATRE
Don't fail to pay a visit to the Merrimack Square theatre this week, where there is on tap as good an all around entertainment as has been seen locally for many months. "Dycons," the week's attraction in the Players line is a dandy good farce comedy and with an all new series of meritorious photographs shown in conjunction with the regular play, it surely makes a three hour program of care free enjoyment.

Next Sunday, an all picture program consisting of ten reels of new photographs will be given. It will be headed by the three reel feature "A Runaway Princess" and will be shown in conjunction with seven other reels of good motion picture plays. Special soloists have been secured and their voices will be pleasantly heard between reels. The admission will be ten cents for adults, children five cents. Next week, the great human play "The Rosary."

EXCUSE ME



HELD LIVELY MEETING

Park Board Members at Logger Heads—Attempt to Reduce Superintendent's Salary

The first meeting of the park board for 1914 was held last night and it was quite a lively one. Com. Carr had been saying up for it and he made some pretty broad statements. He said there were sneaks in the park department and that the department should be weeded or cleaned out. He averred that if he should conduct his business as the park department is conducted the real day would soon make its appearance over his door. Mr. Carr waxed warm because of some reference to his brother-in-law by Commissioner Rountree, but Mr. Rountree disclaimed any intent at special reference to the man in question.

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passes out the appropriations for the year. The annual reports of the superintendent and commissioners were read and approved. The report of Supt. John W. Kernan was a very interesting one and the commissioners congratulated him. Valuable suggestions and recommendations were contained in both of the reports.

The commission voted to ask for an appropriation of \$29,650 for the year.

All members were present when Chairman Harvey B. Greene called to order at 8.15 and the chairman, after the reading of the records by Secretary Rountree, read the superintendent's report in which the superintendent was congratulated for his good work and strict attention to duty.

The commission's report, prepared by the chairman was, in part, as follows: It is a well-known fact that there is a beauty in the city as well as a beauty in the park. The work of the park department is to keep the city beautiful and the park beautiful. The work of the park department is to keep the city beautiful and the park beautiful. The work of the park department is to keep the city beautiful and the park beautiful.

removal of boulders at Shedd park near Rogers and Boylston streets, which work was charged for the better the whole appearance of the park.

We have also plowed and worked over a plot of ground on the west side of Fort Hill park for a nursery and already have planted several hundred shrubs and trees which later can be used in the park or planted as shade trees in the streets. This is the beginning of an effort to adequately provide shade trees, with the idea of selling at cost or of giving away to those who will plant them under the direction of the department, as is done in many other cities.

An important part of our work is the care of the street trees, but on account of the small yearly appropriation, it has been impossible to do any aggressive work and we have simply been able to try to keep the dead limbs trimmed and the dead and dangerous trees cut down and, do the best we can, we have never been able to get the work caught up. There are still over 374 trees that are dangerous and ought to come down at once. In the 11 years of our history we have cut down over 929 trees and planted less than 25. In order to make sure that the future Lowell shall be provided with trees, we would recommend that no new streets be accepted by the council that did not allow at least three feet between the curb-stone and sidewalk for trees and grass, also that trees must be planted and protected before the street is accepted.

We wish to emphasize the importance to the children of the city, of supervised play. The work of the park department for the most part up to the former high standard, and in the industrial work we think the best over. The exhibit of the work of the children held in one of the downtown stores was attended by thousands.

Small Squares For the first time in many years a new square has been improved and added to the 17 we already have, although efforts were made to have the city council purchase the square at the junction of Gorham and Carlisle streets, consisting of about 1400 feet and at a cost of only \$150. We sincerely hope your honorable body will see fit to give to the citizens this most improvement this year.

Billboards In our efforts to beautify the city we have worked consistently from the beginning, when we started the campaign against billboards, by ordering down all such obnoxious structures about the streets. Each year has marked progress and we are glad to record that the past year has seen the last of the great billboards that for years have rested on the fences of the Locks & Canals property on Suffolk and Lewis streets, removed. This does much to clear the city of these offenses to the sight and we hope all property owners will aid by refusing to allow their land, or buildings to be used for such advertising, and that our merchants will refuse to advertise upon them, and that the citizens will refuse to purchase wares thus advertised.

We wish to thank our new superintendent, Mr. John W. Kernan, for the faithful and efficient manner in which he has conducted the work of the department.

Respectfully submitted, Harvey B. Greene, Alexander E. Rountree, John H. Mills, Rodrigue Mignault.

PUBLIC SALE

Greenhouse Sales Co. of New Bedford, Mass.

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Friday Morning at 9 o'clock

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For the Public Sale On Clothing and Ladies' Garments.

place. It was decided to bring the matter later to the attention of the municipal council.

The board decided to ask for \$2500 for the care of trees. "We'll get it, I don't think," said Mr. Mills. Last year we were voted \$5000 and Mr. Carr said that the appropriations allowed the park department in the past were insufficient. He spoke of the South common where but one man is employed to look after about 22 acres, and the North common where one man cares for 11.2 acres. He then moved that the commission ask for \$12,000 for labor, instead of \$9000 as was originally suggested. Dr. Mignault seconded the motion.

Mr. Carr complained of a practice indulged in by skaters at Shedd park. "They go in there and knock people down," he said. He spoke of a young man by the name of Corcoran who had his ankle either badly sprained or broken at Shedd park last Sunday. Mr. Carr said that the presence of a policeman was necessary to stop the practice.

Wants a Foreman

After some further conversation relative to Shedd park and the rink, Dr. Mignault said: "We were able to get along last year without a foreman in the department, but I don't think we should attempt to do it this year. I favor asking for \$10,000 for labor."

"We have asked for more money for 11 years," said the chairman, "and we have never succeeded in getting it." "You got after them on paper but you didn't force the issue. There has been too much soft soap and my dear Alphonse in this department," said Mr. Carr.

It was then voted to ask for \$12,000 for labor, bringing the total up to \$29,650 for the year.

Hiring a Horse

John G. Gordon, superintendent of moth extermination, attended the meeting and John was wise enough, too, not to take off his overcoat for it was almost as cold in the park department headquarters as in the street. Mr. Gordon wanted to hire a horse from the park department. He said that Commissioner Dognelly, who has charge of the moth department, was willing to pay \$1 a day for a horse. Mr. Rountree asked if the employee of the park department to drive the horse. He said that a valuable horse belonging to the park department had been ruined on the South common by careless driving. The department paid over \$300 for the horse and sold him, after his injury, for \$75. "I don't propose to have any more of our horses injured by incompetent handling," said Mr. Rountree.

It seems Mr. Carr thought that the driver referred to by Mr. Rountree was his, Carr's brother-in-law and he has the privilege to speak. Mr. Carr is more of a parliamentarian and he promised to stick close to Cushman.

"The big trouble with the 'park boards' is," he said, "that they have all been dead ones and the department has been run by a nest on the inside. There is a sneak connected with this department who gave a story out to my brother-in-law that he had been raised. I did try to have his pay raised, but because he refused to play the part of a sucker his pay wasn't raised."

"There's a clique in this department that has been running things for years and the clique ought to be cleaned out. There is no system in this department and never has been. What's been going on in this department for 10 years? You have been a lot of head ones. Come into executive session now and I'll tell you a few things that will make your hair stand on end. There are men in this department who have abused me behind my back. One fellow said I looked more like a German than an Irishman and another called me names. It is our duty to discharge every man in the department with the exception of the superintendent and clerk. You need not think for one moment, gentlemen, that I am going to sit here this year and see the same old game played."

Mr. Carr was looking at Mr. Rountree about this time and Mr. Rountree asked Mr. Carr if he was addressing his remarks to him.

"I am addressing the board," said Mr. Carr, "and I—"

"If you're addressing the board don't be looking at me. You make me nervous," said Mr. Rountree. Mr. Carr then referred to the little game of politics and declared that every man on the board with the exception of Mr. Mills had played politics. "Don't pick me up for a fool or a joke," he said, "if you do you'll get your hands burned."

There was much more talk and the board finally got back to the question of letting the moth department have a horse for \$1 a day and the board voted to let Mr. Gordon have the horse.

Reduction of Salary

The chairman asked if there was any other business before the board and Mr. Mignault said he wanted to speak about the superintendent's salary. He said he felt the salary was too large for the appropriation and he moved that it be reduced from \$1500 to \$1000. Mr. Greene said the superintendent works long hours and that to reduce his salary to \$1000 would be a polite way of asking him to resign.

Dr. Mignault had said that he would favor employing a foreman and Mr. Rountree called his attention to the fact that a foreman would cost about \$2.75 a day and that would bring the salary list up to more than it is now. Chairman Greene said that no foreman was needed in the department. He said the superintendent can do the work all right and has done it. Mr. Carr said he would agree to \$1200 a year for the superintendent. The chairman said he felt that the superintendent was worth \$1600 a year. "I think if we can show the municipal council we are trying to reduce salaries then we may get more money," said Mr. Mills.

to the next meeting. Mr. Mignault wished to have the vote of the commission last spring, whereby the superintendent hires and fires employees, rescinded.

"You will never have authority to enforce discipline unless you give to the superintendent the power to hire and discharge employees," said the chairman. "You can't have a five-headed department, whereby each member of the commission has an equal power in the matter of hiring and firing."

The matter was allowed to rest. Mr. Carr moved that Chairman Greene have a conference with the attorneys of the Shedd estate, to state the facts relative to the liability of the city to borrow money for park improvements. It was so voted and Mr. Carr was designated to accompany him. Mr. Carr moved and it was voted that the Ray State Street Railway Co. be asked to supply a policeman for duty at Shedd park skating pond. Adjourned.

Superintendent's Report

John Woodbury Kernan, superintendent of parks, submitted the annual report of the park department to the park commission, yesterday.

Mr. Kernan took office in April last and his report deals with the work of the department since that time. He says there are many things he has in mind that he might suggest for the improvement of parks and commons but he says there isn't any use in suggesting them when there isn't any money to carry them out.

Relative to the West Centralville playground Mr. Kernan says: After considerable agitation together with a public hearing before the municipal council for the acquiring of a park and playground in West Centralville, by the residents of that section, I prepared a plan at the suggestion of Alderman Cummings, showing a tract of land, with a frontage on Allen street extending along the northern bank of the Merrimack river to Beaver Brook and then easterly to Lakeview avenue, comprising approximately 22.87 acres, the property of the Locks and Canals.

At the request of Alderman Cummings I appeared before the members of the municipal council and presented the plan with assessed values, answering several questions pertaining to the location, etc. On December 31st, the municipal council voted to purchase the land, but the action was rescinded by the new city government, January 6th, 1914, so that the matter is now held in abeyance for further consideration.

Modern Bubble Fountain

There is nothing more appreciated in a public park now-a-days than a good cool drink of water, especially during the summer, and as many of our drinking fountains are antiquated, I would recommend that modern bubble fountains be installed as follows:—4 on South common, 3 on North common, 1 at Fort Hill Park, 1 at Shedd Park, 1 at Tyler park, and 1 at West Centralville park, making a total of 11 bubble fountains.

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fountains for an approximate expense of \$1000.

I further recommend, aside from the regular appropriation for the coming year, \$1000 for concrete walks on the North and South commons and Fort Hill park; and \$1000 for grading the Rogers street front of Shedd park. I would also renew the recommendation made June 7th of last year, that a runabout be purchased for the use of the department. One driving horse won't begin to do the work and have it properly supervised. In addition to covering the park work, there are from eight to ten complaints daily on trees

work, that need inspection, many times in widely different parts of the city, and when the playground season is on they require being visited two or three times a week to keep in touch with their wants, which are many. \$1000 was asked for to meet this expense. To sum up, (in addition to the regular appropriation of \$13,450 for maintenance) \$7500 is actually needed to Continued to next page

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FIREMEN KILLED BY WALL

Boston Store Destroyed—Coney Island Threatened—\$100,000 Fire at Providence

BOSTON, Jan. 14.—The firemen killed by a falling wall at the fire which destroyed Bacon's department store on Washington street in the Roxbury district early today was identified as Joseph A. Backett, a driver. The blaze, which caused a loss of \$150,000, was fought under difficulties seldom encountered in this city. With the temperature at ten below zero, water instantly turned to ice and the firemen had to work in relays, stopping frequently to break the ice which encased their suits and helmets. This was the most serious of nearly fifty fires which sent the firemen into the biting cold during yesterday and last night. Many were caused by torches used to thaw water pipes and others by defective chimneys. Frozen hydrants hampered the firemen in many instances.

LOSS OF \$100,000 CAUSED BY FIRE IN MANUFACTURERS' BUILDING IN PROVIDENCE

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Jan. 14.—A loss of \$100,000 was caused today by a fire in the Manufacturers' building, a large seven story brick structure occupied by about 30 manufacturing jewelers and located at Sabin, Mason and Aborn streets. The fire started before any of the jewellers and operatives had arrived and burned about four hours before it was extinguished. It is believed that the fire started in the shop of the Bellanca Mfg. Co. on the sixth floor and while the flames only reached the fifth, sixth and seventh floors, practically all of the other establishments were considerably damaged by smoke and water.

CONEY ISLAND THREATENED BY FIRE TODAY

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Fanned by a high wind, a fire that destroyed the Roseben hotel and a dozen smaller frame buildings on the Bowery at Coney Island early today threatened for a time to sweep the famous amusement resort. Two alarms brought firemen from many fire stations and after a hard fight of two hours the flames were placed under control.

FOUR FIRES IN RAPID SUCCESSION CAUSED INTENSE SUFFERING IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Four fires in rapid succession in widely separated parts of the city caused intense suffering today morning while the temperature hovered around zero. The first blaze, in a Bowery lodging house drove 150 shivering derelicts from that structure, 400 from a lodging house adjoining and 28 families from tenements nearby. Half an hour later 150 men, women and children were forced into the icy streets from the Glendening, an apart-

Athletes and Athletics

The local high school track team will not be as strong in the field events this season as in many former years unless a dark horse is developed in the high jump and the shot put. Neither of these events will be taken care of by an athlete with the ability of Cawley, Chase or Patton, who represented the team last year.

Paul Cahill is a boy who looks like a real track athlete. He has never distinguished himself to any great extent as yet but from the way in which he is stepping around the boards these days we think that he will give them all a tough battle before the end of the season.

The California jury which tried Jess Willard for the death of Ruff Young, who died as a result of a pounding given him by the white boxer, was acquitted yesterday. This is taken to mean that boxing will be established on even a firmer basis than ever in California.

Charlie Doon dies hard on Pitcher Brennan and Catcher Kilmer who have joined the Feds. The manager of the Phillies is trying his best to coax them both back into the fold but so far his efforts have been fruitless. Doon says that they will both come back and is certain that none of the other Phillies will be so foolish as to even enter into negotiations with the outlaws.

"Olie" Chadwick, the old Lowell high jumper and later an Exeter and Harvard athlete, has joined the B. A. A. hockey team. Chadwick played a rattling game at goal for the Crimson when in college and is looked upon as a big acquisition to the Hub team's lineup.

It looks from the street as though Packey McInnis would be up against the real thing for the first time in many months when he meets Mike Gibbons. The defeat of McInnis by Gibbons makes that gentleman appear a formidable man. Levensky couldn't hit McInnis and was badly outpointed; Gibbons knocked out the Westerner in seven rounds and now comes Packey. There will be more boxing on this night than on any New York night that has taken place for several years.

Paul Clark is displaying the same form in his basketball on the Y. M. C.

A team that has always characterized its work in athletics. Although not nearly as large as the majority of opponents that he meets Clark has always overcome this handicap by his footwork and speed. His work last night for the Belvidere club was very clever.

Perky Flynn got his last eve in good shape when he took a chance with a young man known as Battling Levensky. The Boston heavyweight showed up well in the first two rounds while his opponent was very cautious. After these two sessions, however, Flynn never had a chance. Right hand swings and left hooks were the batter's specialty and he shot them into Perky's face and jaw with great effect. Flynn outboxed Levensky by twenty-two pounds.

The track men who are circling the outdoor board paths these days are sending up burnt offerings to the weather man in an effort to boost the thermometer. Harvard and Tech. relay candidates were both coaching around their respective tracks yesterday but the men were all bundled up. It is a very easy matter to pull a tendon or strain a ligament in this atmosphere but the coaches had to take that chance in order to get the men through for the U. S. A. meet.

However the track men may feel about the cold weather the puck chasers are now in their element. All other branches of sport must give way to hockey while the zero days continue.

The members of the Princeton football team will not be allowed to sign any newspaper articles next season. This action on the part of the athletic board was announced yesterday by its chairman, Dan Johnson and the Tiger football heads must think along the same channels.

It is expected that articles will be signed today between Jack Johnson and Frank Moran for a world's championship fight to be held in Paris the first week in June. Johnson is badly in need of everything that has gone to make life sweet to him for the past four years. The big negro's bit for the fight is said to be \$35,000. If Johnson fails to enter the ring or is beaten the championship will be forfeited to Moran.

THE INCOME TAX

Nine Mass. Men Appointed by Commissioner Osborne

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—Nine plums yesterday were shaken from the new income tax tree into the soil of Massachusetts in the appointment of the following officials by Commissioner William H. Osborne, under the new tariff law, of which the income tax provision is a part:

John Buckley, Cambridge, agent, at \$6 a day and \$3 a day for subsistence. John H. Buckley, Dorchester, inspector, \$5 a day and \$3 a day subsistence. John C. Norton, Boston, deputy collector in the field, \$1600 a year and \$1200 a year subsistence. E. W. Swift, New Bedford, deputy collector, \$1600 a year. William J. Dean, Charlestown, deputy, \$1600 a year. Allen Clark, Brighton, deputy, \$1600 a year. Edward J. Dowd, Peabody, deputy, \$1600 a year. Michael J. Carter, Roxbury, deputy, \$1600 a year. John R. Perchard, Hyde Park, deputy, \$1600 a year.

THREE KILLED BY COLD

NEW YORK FEELS GRIP OF THE BITING COLD—75-MILE-AN-HOUR GALE

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—With the mercury standing at three degrees below zero early last night, this city lay in the grip of a cold snap of such severity as rarely is experienced here.

Less than a dozen times in the 43 years of the local weather bureau's history has the thermometer registered a temperature as low.

Notwithstanding this downward plunge of the mercury, which caused three deaths from exposure yesterday, this was the warmest region of the state, reports from the country districts in northern New York showing low temperatures, running to a minimum of 47 degrees below.

Since midnight the mercury has fallen steadily from 14 degrees to 3 degrees at 5 o'clock this afternoon; and at 6 o'clock reached zero for the first time since Jan. 13, 1912, two years to a day.

It has never been under six below as far back as weather records have been kept.

A wind that at times blew 75 miles an hour added to the suffering. Many of the city's unemployed were driven to shelter in missions and municipal lodging houses. The city, aiming to relieve these persons, began the work of turning a recreation pier and charities department boats into lodging abodes, while the board of aldermen adopted a resolution favoring a civic employment agency.

A chauffeur died from exposure after sitting two hours in his automobile in front of Carnegie hall, and a laborer and a grocer's boy were overcome in hallways and died. Several persons were removed to hospitals, suffering from exposure.

The tug Newport went adrift down the bay when her engines went "dead" and had to be rescued by the harbor police.

The combination of high wind and low tide left so little water in the East and North rivers last night that the Subway company was unable to proceed the water necessary for condensing purposes in the power houses through its intakes, with the result that trains were operated at reduced speed and with little heat in them.

The surfaces of the park lakes were frozen thick and the city's public fountains were available for the first time this winter.

Y. M. C. I. WON

Defeated Co. K in One Sided Basketball Contest—Clark and Marren Featured

In spite of the low temperature last night quite a large crowd of basketball enthusiasts ventured out to take in the game between the Y. M. C. I. quintet and the Company K team. The majority of the spectators were disappointed, however, for the militia put up a very poor exhibition during the fast five which represents the Belvidere club this winter. The final score was 63 to 14.

Between the halves the second team of the Y. M. C. I. played the Sherwood team and this contest was nearly as bad. The second team defeated their opponents by a 56 to 11 score.

The Y. M. C. I. outfit showed real class last night even if they were not up against an aggregation that could give them a battle. The team work on the whole was very encouraging to their followers and the individual dribbling and shooting was the best seen in the hall this season.

Clark and Marren played exceptionally well for the winners. The lineup and summary:

Y. M. C. I.—63
Clark I
C. Flynn I
Hannan I
F. Flynn I
Marren I

14—CO. K
Ib Fahy
Ib Hall
Ib C. K
Ib Huntley
Ib Mann

Periods: Two of 20 minutes each. Goals scored: Clark 5, Marren 6, C. Flynn 5, Hannan 5, Farrell 4, F. Flynn 3, Hall 2, Kew, Mann, Fahy, Fouts, Y. M. C. I. 12, Company K 4. Referee, William King; time, 55.

Y. M. C. I. 24—55 11—SHERWOOD
McGowan I
Keenan I
Hagerty I
C. Clark I
O'Neill, Kenefick I
Ib Chase

Periods: Three of 15 minutes each. Goals scored: Keenan 11, McGowan 9, Hagerty 4, O'Neill 1, Kenefick, Barton 2, Hineley, Fouts, Y. M. C. I. 9, Sherwood 1. Referee, Lang, Time, 7.

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MONTREAL FIRE

Notre Dame Cathedral Threatened—Blaze Subdued After Fight

MONTREAL, Jan. 14.—Fire which seriously threatened the business centre of Montreal was subdued yesterday afternoon only after a stubborn fight. The loss is estimated at \$500,000. The four-story warehouse of Feathering-ham & Workman, hardware wholesalers, was completely wrecked. Adjoining buildings caught, and for a time historic Notre Dame cathedral was threatened. Flames broke out in a building adjacent to the cathedral but were checked.

Rattling in a temperature 25 degrees below zero, firemen were not only hampered by the bitter cold, but by the fact that half a dozen other fires broke out almost simultaneously. At one time only seven pieces of apparatus were left with which to combat the central fire.

Nearly every fireman sustained frost bites, and so serious were the injuries and the effects of cold that offices nearby were turned into a temporary hospital.

Notre Dame cathedral occupies the corner of Notre Dame and St. Sulpice streets, opposite Place d'Armes square. It is 225 feet long and 134 feet wide and has a dome over 227 feet high. One tower contains a bell weighing 23,400 pounds, said to be the largest in America. In the other is a famous chime of bells. The church will hold 10,000 persons.

FUNERAL NOTICES

THORNER—Died, in Boston, Jan. 12, John Thorner, aged 48 years. He leaves besides his wife, Lena G., one son, Charles S. Thorner, of Lowell; also one sister, Mrs. J. Perry, of Somerville. Funeral services will be held from the parlors of Undertakers Young & Blake, 34 Prescott street, Thursday morning, Jan. 15, at 10 o'clock. Friends invited. Burial private.

BUTTRICK—Died, Jan. 13th, in this city, very suddenly, Fred A. Buttrick, aged 68 years and 8 days, at his home, 4 Hanks street. Funeral services will be held at 4 Hanks street, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are invited to attend. Burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

REGAN—The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Regan will take place Thursday morning at 8 o'clock. At 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of J. P. O'Donnell & Sons.

RAILEY—Died in this city, Jan. 12, at his home, 34 Fay street, Mr. James P. Railey, aged 65 years and 20 days. Funeral services will be held at the home, 34 Fay street, on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are respectfully invited to attend. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

LAMBERT—The funeral of Alice Lambert will take place on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of her parents, Alfred and Amelia Lambert, 148 North street. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

Fred C. Church carried the insurance on the building of the Saco-Lowell shop, Worthen street, damaged by fire last night.

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ON TRUST LEGISLATION

PRESIDENT WILSON CONFERRED TODAY WITH CONGRESSIONAL LEADERS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—President Wilson conferred today with congressional leaders on trust legislation. He talked in the forenoon with Chairman Newlands and members of the senate interstate commerce committee and reserved the late afternoon for a second conference with Chairman Clayton and members of the house judiciary committee.

To the latter committee the president had given a preliminary outline of the ideas before congress recessed three weeks ago. Today the president was prepared to discuss with the two committees which will be in charge of trust legislation, specific points in his program.

So far as possible, it is the intention of the administration to obtain from these committees bills upon which they are all agreed and before the measures covering the desired field are introduced it is the president's hope that he may be consulted and that the bills will be launched with the stamp of administrative approval just as was the case with the tariff and currency.

ST. MARGARET'S REUNION

All arrangements have been completed for the reunion of St. Margaret's parish which will take place this evening in Associate hall at 8 o'clock. The various caterers and refreshment committees have perfected their plans and no detail has been neglected which would make the affair fully enjoyable to those who attend. There will be a concert in the early part of the evening and an entertainment made up of acts from the local theatres. Following this there will be general dancing.

Ideal Campers, Associate, Friday.

PORRY FLYNN BEATEN

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Dan (Porry) Flynn of Boston, was the recipient of a tongue-lashing from the Philadelphia heavyweight, in a ten-round bout that went the limit at the National Sporting club last night. Levensky had the better of six of the 10 rounds, Flynn earned the honors in two sessions and the remainder were even. Levensky outboxed 170 pounds and Flynn 160 pounds.

WHITE BERING DOG LOST: SIX MONTHS OLD. Return to Mrs. H. Martin, 15 Austin st. and receive reward.

DOUBLE TRAGEDY

At Paris Residence of Chief of Radical Turkish Party

PARIS, Jan. 14.—A double tragedy connected with Turkish political intrigue was enacted today at the Paris residence of Gen. Mehemed Cherif Pasha, one of the chiefs of the radical Turkish party.

A strange Turk called to see the Ottoman politician and was refused admission by the valet, Ismail Hakki, who he immediately shot dead.

Cherif Pasha's son-in-law, Sabit Bey, hearing the pistol ran into the corridor where he shot and killed the assassin. The pasha has been the object of numerous threats, which he says emanated from the adherents of the Young Turks.

Cherif is the editor of a newspaper published here in the interests of constitutionalism in Turkey and he also directs a widespread agitation in Turkey.

FUNERALS

HOWE—The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Howe took place this morning at 9:15 o'clock from her late home, 36 Reed street, and was largely attended. A funeral high mass was celebrated in St. Peter's church at 9:45 o'clock by Rev. W. George Mullen. The congregation was sung by the church choir. The burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery where Rev. W. George Mullen read the committal services. The bearers were Messrs. Patrick Cassidy, Thomas Donnelly, Michael Beecher, Patrick McManus, J. Oscar Phinney and Thomas Howe. The floral tributes placed upon the grave, including a large wreath from the family, were from Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McNelly, Merrimack Square theatre employees, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. James Phinney, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick McManus and family, Mr. and Mrs. De-

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We have come to the time of the year when all men's stores run their annual mark-down sales. We, of course, are known as the store that sells MEN'S CLOTHING and FURNISHINGS with the cut price rate in the season. Now, in order for us to go and get business in the present hard times, we are forced into this predicament. To keep our reputation up as above stated, we must and had to come down in prices, lower than the regular cut price sales that are held. On account of our small advertising space we are only quoting a few of our many bargains that are awaiting you at this sale.

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Earl & Wilson Shirts, Cnet & Peabody Shirts, Remington Shirts—Every shirt guaranteed or a new one replaced.

\$1.00 quality.....69c
\$1.50 quality.....77c
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\$2.50 quality.....\$1.59
\$3.50 and \$4.00 quality.....\$2.69
50c and 75c Shirts, laundry proof.....37c

MEN'S UNDERWEAR

Derby Ribbed Shirts or Drawers, 50c grade.....35c

Fleece Lined Shirts or Drawers, 50c grade.....35c

White or Natural Wool Gray Shirts or Drawers, \$1 grade, 69c

White or Natural Wool Gray Shirts or Drawers, \$1.50 grade.....79c

White or Natural Wool Gray Shirts or Drawers, \$2.00 grade.....\$1.19

(CONTROVERSY INCLUDED)
Union Suits, gray wool, \$1.00 quality.....69c

Union Suits, extra wool, \$1.50 quality.....89c

Union Suits, extra wool, \$2.00 quality.....\$1.19

\$1.00 Shirts or Drawers, natural wool. Sale price.....69c

MEN'S PANTS DEPT.

Black and Blue Included

\$1.50 grade. Sale price.....89c

\$2.50 grade. Sale price.....\$1.19

\$3.00 grade. Sale price.....\$1.79

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50c Caps, in the newest colors and shapes. Sale price.....27c

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There are Suits and Overcoats for both the conservative or the snappy dresser, and you will surely find what you are after in this big clothing dept.—Shawl, notch or ulster collars, knee, three quarter or full length, different mixtures and blacks are included, in all the newest models, prices ranging as follows:

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\$18 Suits or Overcoats **\$8.95**

\$12 Suits or Overcoats **\$5.89**

\$20 Suits or Overcoats **\$10.55**

\$15 Suits or Overcoats **\$7.35**

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Flannel or Cotton

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39c grade.....19c
50c and 60c grade.....35c
\$1.00 and \$1.50 grade.....79c
\$2.00 grade.....\$1.09

HOSE DEPT.

10c. Sale price.....5c
15c. Sale price.....3 pairs 25c
35c. Sale price.....17c
50c. Sale price.....37c

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25c and 35c value.....17c
50c and 65c value.....37c
\$1.00 value.....75c

MEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS

5c grade.....1c
10c grade.....4 for 25c
15c grade.....3 for 25c
25c grade.....2 for 25c

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For men, women and children, in the newest colors, button front with or without shawl collars.

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\$3.00 grade. Sale price.....\$1.79
\$4.00 grade. Sale price.....\$2.39
\$5.00 grade. Sale price.....\$3.69
\$6 and \$7 grade. Sale price \$4.39

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Boys' Knee Pants, all sizes.....11c

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AROUND THE N. E. CIRCUIT

Harry Wormwood Picks Lewiston as Good City—O'Brien Once More Applies the Spotlight

"I see no reason why Lewiston should not make league baseball pay," said Harry Wormwood the Auburn boy who was with Duffy last year at Portland, while discussing the New England league of 1914. "In the first place they have the right kind of men at the head of the movement in Bill Carrigan and Mike McDonough and in the second place the rivalry between Lewiston and Portland will keep the interest up for a season at least and if the people show the right kind of sporting blood the team will finish well enough this season to warrant keeping it in Lewiston another season."

"In the smaller places and mill leagues the interest is an intimate and personal affair. The star pitcher works in the store where you meet him every day, the first baseman works at the machine next to you in the shop, the right fielder and slugger lives just around the corner—all this lends a certain warmth to your approbation of his three baggers and home runs. In these places every joy is a common joy and every grief is common property."

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"If this kind of interest had been shown at Brockton last season there would have been at least three teams who would have finished behind her in the league. On the road Brockton had one of the best fighting teams in the league but at home very little real interest was shown on the part of the fans and the players seemed to show even less. Baseball players are very much human, a fact which most fans overlook, and how can you expect a man to stand up and fight for the name of a town that he doesn't even belong in, when the people in that town or city show little or no interest in his battles or even thank him for winning them."

"If the sport of this section of the country shows a little of red blooded sportsmanship, takes his little two bits

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and attends the games instead of standing around the gate knocking the team, players and everybody in general, the players will be quick to show an interest that will result in a first division team.

"To the man who is inclined to argue that the Brockton team would be little affected by any rivalry that might exist between Lewiston and Portland I would say that if the interest is shown not only will keen rivalry be shown, but it will exist between them and all the other teams in the league."

"In last year's Brockton outfit Lewiston will find ample material for the foundation of a first division team. Anderson, who was purchased last year by the Red Sox, will possibly be returned to Brockton, and if such is the case he will prove a valuable man for Lewiston. Swapp, Brignolia, and Shears are also pitchers of ability, and in Rutledge they have one of the best catchers in the league. In the outfield are Maloney and Howard. Two hard hitters; in Dowd, who plays second base, Lewiston will find as fast a man as ever held down the second station around these parts."

When asked about the Portland

team Wormwood said: "With the exception of Sullivan, Burns and Pumphrey the team will be about the same as last season."

Lynch With Lynn

Frank H. Connaughton, the former New England league player and manager, is loud in praise of the playing of Billy Lynch, the South Lawrence lad, who has signed to play with Lynn this coming season.

After Connaughton got through in New Bedford last season he went to the Maine-New Brunswick league. Lynch was playing in that league.

Connaughton had a good chance to look him over and, he says that he is every bit fast enough for New England league ball.

Lynch was tried out by Lynn last spring and let go. He made an impression, however, as Lynch was only too glad to sign him up again this winter for next season.—Lawrence Sun.

"Jawn" O'Brien

"Little" John O'Brien, who for a number of years past has been the manager of some New England league club, yesterday announced to the managers of the "little old league" that he is about to form a trolley league which will include all three of the cities which have been dropped from the New England league schedule and two other Massachusetts cities, and possibly one or two from Rhode Island.

O'Brien intends that his league shall be made up of six teams. He has in mind Pawtucket and another Rhode Island city, Fall River, Brockton, New Bedford and several other cities.

The former magnate broke the news

to the managers before they went into session at the Copley Plaza. The league will join hands with organized ball and is not to hamper the New England league as does the Federal the majors.

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Large assortment at retail wholesale prices.

TERRIFIC SEAS SWEEP NEW ENGLAND COAST

Relief From the Intense Cold Weather
Promised by Tonight or Tomorrow
—Northfield, Vt., Coldest Point

BOSTON, Jan. 14.—Although the northwest gale had abated somewhat today the New England coast was swept by terrific seas and shipping was endangered.

The temperature remained below zero throughout New England. Trains were delayed by the difficulty in making steam and the sea was much suffering from frost bites.

NORTHFIELD, VT., REPORTED AS
COLDEST POINT IN NEW
ENGLAND

BOSTON, Jan. 14.—The crest of the first cold wave of the season passed over the New England states shortly before midnight, when lowest records were made at nearly all stations, although the extremes were somewhat short of previous marks.

The coldest point in New England from the weather bureau standpoint was Northfield, Vt., where 23 below zero was registered at 10 p. m. Nantucket, with a minimum of two below last night, was the warmest spot.

The northwest gale continued to make itself felt throughout the section today with a 30-mile gale at Cape Cod and at Eastport, Me.

The following were the official temperatures at 3 a. m. today with the minimum for each station during the night:

Town	3 a. m.	Minimum
Northfield, Vt.	23 below	23 below
Durham, N. H.	24 below	24 below
Greenfield, N. H.	22 below	24 below
Concord, N. H.	19 below	18 below
Boston	4 below	5 below
Eastport, Me.	2 below	12 below
Hartford	6 below	8 below
Providence	zero	10 below
Nantucket	2 above	2 below
Block Island	1 above	4 below

RELIEF FROM COLD WEATHER OF
PAST TWO DAYS PROMISED
TONIGHT

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Relief from the intense cold weather, which has held the eastern and New England states in its grip for the past two days is promised tonight or tomorrow. Today, however, near-zero weather, or below still prevails along the Middle and North Atlantic seaboard. Reports from the west early today indicated that the rising temperatures which brought relief there yesterday would reach the lake regions today and weather forecasters say they are extending eastward.

In New York state the lowest temperature reported—43 degrees below zero—was at Harrisville. Few towns in the northern and western sections of the state reported temperatures higher than 20 degrees below zero early today. New York city, where school was closed at 10 o'clock yesterday, touched a record mark at midnight at four degrees below. The number of dead officially recorded last night was nine, but police and health officials believe the total will greatly exceed that figure. Hundreds have received treatment at hospitals and thousands of homeless men and women have been sheltered in mission and municipal lodging houses. To add to the intensity of the cold a 60 mile gale blew all of yesterday, not abating until last night. Because of the needs of the poor for coal 400 coal trolleys, who have been on strike yesterday returned

to work agreeing to leave their demands for increased pay to arbitration.

From all along the Atlantic coast, reports of disasters to vessels kept filtering in during the day. The gale was said to be sweeping the beaches with wrecks and taking many lives.

Three deaths, due to cold are reported from Philadelphia, where four degrees above zero was reached late last night. Other points in Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Maryland reported zero weather and intense suffering. Fif-

teen teachers of the high school at Towanda, Pa., yesterday spent much time restoring 120 pupils who rode several hours, as usual to attend classes. The children were numb with cold, several fainting when they entered warm rooms.

Early today fire in a Bowers restaurant in this city threatened a lodging house in the same building and another adjoining it in which 200 men were sleeping, all of whom were driven to the street with little clothing to protect them. Other hotels opened their doors to the men.

HARD NIGHT FOR FIREMEN

Six Alarms of Fire Responded to
Last Night and This Morning—
Quick Work Prevented Any
Serious Damage

The members of the Lowell fire department from Chief Saunders to the callmen, spent one of the hardest nights in their career last night while guarding the city from conflagrations.

Chilled to the bone by the frigid blasts which beset them from all sides as they were hurried along off the fire vehicles, wet and half frozen by the spray from the streams they directed against the threatened buildings and which hardened their clothing almost instantly into a mass of ice, the firemen put out no less than six fires between 10:35 last night and 5 o'clock this morning. It was the most strenuous ordeal for firemen that the local department has undergone in a long time.

Chimney Fell
Box 113 rang in on two different occasions. The alarm came from a bakery on Lewis street in which the chimney had been taken down and a makeshift smoke shaft erected temporarily. At 1:46 a. m. the department answered a summons to the baker shop. The temporary chimney had fallen through the floor and gone through the floor of the shop in several places. The live coals of the fire had been scattered broadcast and the woodwork blazed up in two or three spots.

The flames were soon extinguished by the half dozen firemen, but several sparks had dropped through the floor and did not make their presence known until later. The second alarm came in at 3:03 and was attended to as promptly and with as much expedition as the first. Little damage was done to the bakery.

Hot Water Pipes Exploded
At 4:55 this morning more of an accident than a fire took place at the

dwelling over MacKennedy's store on Liberty street. Mrs. Labrie, the tenant, attempted to light a fire in her cooking range which carries a hot water attachment in the front. The water pipes were frozen up and when the fire started to burn, the stove blew up with a noise which aroused the neighbors in the vicinity.

Someone rang in the alarm from box 313 and the firemen hustled to the scene. The woman was badly cut up about the hands and feet and the fire fighters acted as first aid to the injured. There was scarcely any blaze owing to the prompt response of the department.

Auto Truck on Fire
Just before 3 o'clock this morning the motor truck of the gas company caught fire from the engine, while on the bridge above the railroad tracks on Chelmsford street. Box 31 was sounded but the flames were soon extinguished with practically no injury to the truck.

Blaze on Worthen Street
Box 18 rang in at 10:35 last night for a blaze in the house at 425 Worthen street. The building is owned by the Saco-Lowell shops. A bed and several small articles were burned before the flames were extinguished.

Box 12 rang in at 11:20 o'clock last night and was for a fire in a tenement block in Suffolk street. The damage was very small and the recall sounded almost as soon as the alarm.

New assembly dance, Assoc. Friday.

SIX TITANIC MOURNERS

SAT IN SUPREME COURT AND
HEARD ARGUMENTS IN SUITS
FOR DAMAGES

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—Half a dozen mourners of the Titanic disaster sat in the supreme court yesterday listening to arguments on whether the liability of the owners of the ship should be limited to less than \$100,000 or for full claims for damages aggregating some \$15,000,000.

The mourners did not make themselves known and were unrecognized. Charles C. Burlingham, on behalf of the Oceanic Steam Navigation company, opened the argument, contending that damages should be limited to salvage and passage money, some \$20,000.

Frederick M. Brown, on behalf of the claimants, contended that the Titanic was a floating island in the eyes of the law and that the British flag flying over it made the British law govern the liability of the owners. He challenged Mr. Burlingham's statement that the American courts had repudiated the "floating island" theory in the cases growing out of the wreck of the Scotland, more than 30 years ago, and declared that not only the American courts but those of France and Germany had repeatedly approved of this theory.

CLERGYMAN INDICTED
PORTLAND, Me., Jan. 14.—Two indictments for alleged libel of Associate Justice George F. Haley of the supreme court were returned against the Rev. Wilbur E. Berry of Waterville, superintendent of the Christian Civil League of Maine, and editor of the Christian Civil League Record, by the grand jury in the superior court yesterday. The charges were based on alleged libelous articles in the Record.

SEEK RESERVE BANK
WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—Arguments by bankers and city men from south of New York and east of Pittsburgh seeking a federal reserve bank were begun here today before the organization committee. The claims of Washington were heard early today. Baltimore was on the list for the afternoon session of the committee. Several other cities will be heard tomorrow and day.

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Children's \$4.98, \$5.98 and \$6.98 Winter Coats, ages 2 to 6 years, for \$1.50 to \$3.98

Junior \$6.50 One-piece Dresses, only \$2.98

Junior \$8.50 One-piece Dresses, only \$4.50

Ladies' Fine Silk Hose, black and tan, only, pair.....25c

Ladies' Extra Silk Hose, all colors, only, pair.....50c

Special Display of Laces, Hamburgs, Insertions, also All-overs and Flouncings. Remarkable values; all new; just out.

Colored Table Cloths, 69c, 75c, 79c, 98c to \$2.00

Ladies' \$1.50 House Dresses, only.....79c

Ladies' 98c Cotton Night Gowns, only 69c

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Ladies' 98c, \$1.25, \$1.50 Flannellette Gowns, only.....79c

Children's 98c and \$1.50 Gingham Dresses, only.....79c

White and Colored Bed Spreads, including the new Scaloped edge, 98c up to \$3.98

Bleached Sheets, large size, 49c, 59c, 69c, 79c

Huck Towels, best made, each 12 1-2c up to 50c

79c Bleached Table Damask, 60 inches wide, fine, all linen, only, yard.....59c

\$1.25 Extra Fine All Linen Table Damask, only, yard.....\$1.00

Ladies' \$3.98 Check Dress Skirts, only.....\$1.50

Ladies' \$3.98 Corduroy Dress Skirts, only.....\$1.98

Ladies' \$3.98 Serge Dress Skirts, only.....\$1.98

Also many other better ones.

Ladies' \$7.50 One-piece Dresses, only \$4.50

Ladies' \$16.50 Suits, only.....\$8.98

Ladies' \$20.00 Suits, only.....\$10.50

Fownes' Fine Kid Gloves, all shades, pair.....\$1.00

Fownes' Heavy Cape Gloves, tans only, pair.....\$1.00 and \$1.50

All Kinds of Fabric Gloves, pair 25c and 50c

Children's Jersey Fleece Vests and Pants, the best money can buy, only, each 25c

Children's and Misses' Jersey Union Suits.....50c

Bleached Turkish Towels, 25c value, only.....17c

Fine Pillow Slips, 42x36, only.....12 1-2c

Ladies' \$2.50 Changeable Silk Petticoats, only.....\$1.39

Ladies' \$1.98 value Black Mercerized Petticoats, silk ruffle, only.....98c

Ladies' 98c White Waists, great value, only.....59c

Ladies' \$2.98 Messaline Silk Waists, only.....\$1.89

Many Handsome and Choice Values Not Mentioned Here For Our Opening That Will Be Fully Appreciated By All Who Inspect Them as the Best Money Can Buy.

FIRST AND SECOND FLOORS.

LOWELL HIT HARD

By the Cold Weather—
Record of Low Temperatures Last Night

Cold such as Lowell has not known for over 10 years struck the city Monday night and brought with it considerable pain and suffering. Yesterday was registered as the coldest day of the present season but according to reports from the suburbs today, all records were broken. Although the northwest wind is not quite so disconcerting as last night, the cold weather has resulted from desperate efforts of the people to get their homes and places of business warm and pipes in hundreds of houses have been frozen making it impossible for the occupants to get water for several hours. Probably more freeze-outs were reported at the various plumbing shops during the past two days than in any two days for over twenty years.

The trains have been delayed to a certain extent because the engineers could not get up steam enough and the street car service has also been affected. The motorman on the first car bound for North Billerica this morning discovered that a trolley wire had snapped during the night and it is believed that this was caused by the continued cold weather.

The theatres throughout the city have also been greatly affected on account of this extremely cold weather and only those who had purchased their tickets in advance dared venture out of the houses to attend the evening performance last night.

In the suburban towns schools had to be closed because the janitors found it impossible to heat the buildings and the pupils were sent to their homes to spend the day. The Howe school at Billerica was one of those that was forced to close its doors and many of the children, especially the smaller ones were unable to stand the temperature in the country schools in Lowell's suburbs.

At no time from Monday evening until this morning when the winds went down and the sun appeared did the mercury go above the zero mark while yesterday in Merrimack squares the thermometer registered between five and ten degrees below.

However, the mercury needles are rising today and it is believed that the suffering will not be so great as yesterday. According to reports from various places the temperature was a little colder this morning at sunrise than yesterday at the same hour and today will probably be recorded as the coldest day of the winter of 1913-14.

At the pumping station on the boulevard this morning the thermometer read 12 degrees below zero the same as yesterday, but in Chelmsford Center it was reported to be 14 below about two degrees colder than yesterday morning. At South Chelmsford, a place more exposed than Chelmsford Center, the record was 15 below this morning, while at the Talbot mills,

North Billerica, the mercury needle was 16 below.

Residents of Pawtucketville report 15 below this morning while in other outlying sections of the city, including the Andover street district, the temperature was above the same. In Merrimack squares early this morning the thermometers read 10 below, but the temperature continued to rise and shortly before noon the mercury was above zero.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH

Annual Reunion To Be Held Tonight—
Fine Program Has Been Arranged and Dancing Will Be Enjoyed

Plans are now completed for the annual reunion of the parishioners of St. Andrew's church which is to be held this evening in Thomas Talbot Memorial hall, North Billerica. This will be the first social gathering of the members of the church and their friends since the appointment of Rev. David Murphy as pastor of the church and it will also be observed as sort of a reception to the reverend gentleman, who has already become popular in Billerica.

The various committees have been working diligently for several weeks in an effort to make this affair eclipse all former events of this kind in the history of the church and it will in no way be confined to its members as people of all denominations will attend.

The hall has been decorated for the occasion and booths that will contain refreshments and dainties have been erected. Nothing has been left undone that would help to make the event a success and it is believed that the members of the church have ever held.

A well prepared program consisting of selections by well known talent has been arranged and after the concert dancing is to be enjoyed with a local orchestra furnishing music. The date was selected after careful consideration on the part of the committees and it is believed that this evening will be suitable to all who desire to attend.

BALLS AND PINS

Affected by Cold Wave—Only a Few Games Told Off Last Night on Local Alleys

The Saugusets proved too strong for the Wampanoags in the Y. M. C. A. bowling league last night and won out by the score of 1295. Dulligan was high man.

The Cubs and the Fairmounts struggled for a hard fought win in the Concord league. The Fairmounts won out by the score of 1532 to 1303, winning all three strings. The first string was decided by a margin of two pins. A Doyle of the winners was high man with 184. His best single was 112.

The Beavers and Climbers rolled off another game last night with the Beavers on the losing end of the match. The Climbers took two out of the three strings and won the total 1263 to 1212. White was high man.

In the ad of C. B. Coburn Co. of Friday last a typographical error made it appear that glycerine was being sold in pints for 35c. It should have read pint 35c. Like all goods coming from this establishment the glycerine is absolutely pure and the price lower than in any place in the city.

THE CHILDREN'S HOME

Annual Meeting Held Yesterday Afternoon—
Officers Elected and Reports Read

The annual meeting of the Children's home was held yesterday afternoon and according to the reports of the various officers larger quarters will have to be secured very shortly in order to prepare for the increased number of children that will be taken care of during the coming year.

A committee consisting of the following was appointed to look into the matter and report at a meeting of the board of directors that is to be held soon: Edward W. Trull, Joseph W. Griffin, Mrs. Frank A. Smith, Mrs. William L. Robertson and Warren T. Floyd.

The meeting was called to order by Vice President Edward F. Slattery and the annual reports of several of the committees and officers were read. The report of the treasurer showed that the home had been conducted with economy during the past year. The receipts for the year showed the following items: From care of children, \$1585.40; from contributions, \$218.95; from Babcock entertainment, \$118; from boxes in public places, \$13.50; from the Ellingwood bequest, \$50; share of the Dent fund, \$800; total receipts, \$2755.55.

The expenditures were as follows: Household management, \$563.60; janitor, \$25.40; provisions, \$140.02; repairs, \$103.50; coal, \$143.26; water, \$32.90; printing, \$23; incidentals, \$282.55; cash balance, \$1166.90.

The home is free from debt and is in excellent financial condition to meet the expansion problems. To help in this it was voted to increase the number of directors from 19 to a total to be decided upon later. Votes of thanks were given Charles S. Shepard for a check for \$25 to the press for courtesies shown during the year and to the merchants and scores of kind business, try The Sun "Want" column.

friends who have contributed to the work of the home.

The officers elected are the same as last year and are as follows:

President, Solon W. Stevens; vice president, Edward F. Slattery; clerk, Warren L. Floyd; treasurer, Edward W. Trull; matron, Miss Ellen O'Leary; committee on finance and repairs, Warren L. Floyd, Solon W. Stevens, Edward W. Trull, Edward F. Slattery, Joseph W. Griffin and Dr. W. A. Johnson; committee on management and supplies, Mrs. Frank A. Smith, Mrs. Emma Carll, Miss Ellen O'Leary, Mrs. Gordon Tweed, Mrs. W. L. Robertson, Mrs. Harry P. Knapp, Mrs. Freeman M. Bull, Mrs. C. Z. Meader, Mr. James H. McKinley, Mrs. W. K. Fairbanks, Mrs. Harry G. Pollard, Mrs. Charles S. Shepard, Mrs. John B. Pilling; committee on entertainments, Solon W. Stevens, Mrs. H. F. Knapp, Mrs. W. L. Robertson, Mrs. F. A. Smith, Mrs. H. G. Pollard.

Edward W. Trull was chosen a committee to present the Federation of Churches the matter of accommodations as badly needed for transients, men and women in needy circumstances who may come to the city.

Miss Ellen O'Leary, the matron, read a lengthy report, telling of the work that the home has done during the past year and thanking everyone who has helped to make the home a success.

Everybody going, Assoc. Friday.

AGAINST CHILD LABOR LAW

BOSTON, Jan. 14.—In the crusade to diminish the scope of the child labor law, Senator Andrew P. Doyle of New Bedford has filed with the clerk of the senate the petition of President John Hoban and Secretary Walter Ellison of the New Bedford textile council to provide for the employment of minors between the ages of 14 and 16 years if the physician certifies that the minor is physically competent to undertake the work. The work would not exceed in any instance more than 10 hours a day.

Under the provisions of the child labor laws the hours of labor of minors between the ages of 14 and 16 years is limited to 45 hours a week, or not more than eight in any one day.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

DANDRUFF IS A WARNING

Dandruff, the Danger Signal of Falling Hair, Can Easily Be Removed

CRUDOL is a crude petroleum product with every disagreeable feature removed. It is fragrant, refreshing, clean, odorless and stainless.

The secret of CRUDOL—it contains no alcohol like most hair tonics. Alcohol in time will turn the hair gray and should never be used on the head.

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THE CRUDOL ANTI-DANDRUFF SHAMPOO, a delightful scalp and hair cleanser. Not like other shampoos that leave the hair brittle after washing, but leaves it in a soft, fluffy, lustrous condition, due to the crude petroleum contained in it. Large tube 25c. Crudol Products Corporation, 1117 Broadway, New York.

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PROPER PRICED PAINT

A cheap paint is never good. A paint that is cheap CAN be good. In connection with our many articles offered you in our January Reduction Sale we will sell a line of paint in five shades. This paint costs you

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Call and let the man tell you how this paint is just what you need for outside and inside work. No job lot, no fire sale, but an honest point more than worth the dollar it costs.

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Wives! Mothers! Daughters! Just a Word With You!

A woman's organism is a very delicate thing—it very easily gets out of order—just like a delicate piece of machinery, it requires more than ordinary care and attention.

There are many signs which point to disorder, such as headaches, unaccountable pains in various parts of the body, listlessness, nervousness, irritableness, dizziness, faintness, backache, loss of appetite, depression, and many others.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has been the means of restoring thousands of suffering women to natural health and strength. For more than forty years it has been successfully carrying on this great work. Today it is known throughout the length and breadth of every land. Women everywhere look upon it as a helpful friend. Let it aid you.

Sold in liquid or tablet form by druggists, or trial box mailed you for 50 cents from Dr. Pierce's Dispensary, Buffalo, N.Y.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets regulate Stomach, Liver and Bowels

THE SUN CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

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SMALL WELL EQUIPPED MACHINE shop for rent; references required. Address N 85, Sun Office.

DOWN STAIRS 5-ROOM TENEMENT to let at 37-121 Bartlett st. Apply to W. E. Dodge, Wymata Exchange, 100 Coburn st. Inquire G. Waterhouse, 10 Sanborn st.

THREE ROOM TENEMENT TO LET furnished for light housekeeping, 50 Coburn st. Inquire G. Waterhouse, 10 Sanborn st.

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TWO APARTMENT HOUSE TO LET: all modern conveniences, at 151-153 Mathew st. Inquire 31 Methuen st.

TWO FOUR-ROOM FLATS TO LET, near Westford st. Apply to Dover st. Tel. 2367-R.

FIVE ROOMS, BATH AND PANTRY, to let; hot water, 42 Harely st. \$11.50 per month. Inquire Schutz Furniture Co., 315 and 320 Middlesex st.

TO LET

GEORGE E. BROWN, 79 CHESTNUT st., says: "Don't live where it is cold, see my warm, pleasant, all on one floor, 2-room tenement."

TWO LARGE FRONT ROOMS TO let over morning, suitable for ladies rooms or club; steam heat. Apply to J. F. Hennessy.

FLAT OF FIVE ROOMS TO LET; 171 Walker st.; all modern improvements; steam heat. Apply Farrell & Conant, 213 Dutton st.

FIVE ROOM FLAT TO LET AT 105 Chapel st.; rent reasonable. Apply Mr. Kelley, 105 Chapel st.

TWO TENEMENTS OF FIVE ROOMS each, to let at 65 and 63 Chambers st. Rent reasonable. Apply at 74 Chambers st.

ROOMS TO LET, \$1 PER WEEK and up. Mrs. McMillan, 15 Hurd st.

SPECIAL NOTICES

CARD READING—PAST, PRESENT and future; 19c and 25c. Madam Cory, 279 Bridge st., cor. Third st., room 1.

WITH HOUR ASBESTOS STOVE lining for lining or repainting. Halings of ranges, furnaces and stoves, for sale at all stove dealers, 15 and 25 cent boxes.

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PIANOS AND ORGANS TUNED AND REPAIRED. Tuning \$1. J. Kershaw, 150 Cumberland road. Tel. 644-1.

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THE SUN IN BOSTON—THE SUN is on sale every day at both news stands of the Union station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

FOR SALE

ONE TWO-H. P. 530 ELECTRIC MOTOR, in condition for sale cheap. Apply Elmer Glass, St. R. K. starter, Merrimack sq.

PUPS FOR SALE. INQUIRE 4 Everett st.

AS I HAVE NOT WORK FOR ALL of my horses I must sell them, one weighs 1200, 7 years old, dapple gray mare, work single or double, \$15.00; steady; one brown horse 1100, sound, 5 years old, \$40; one horse 1075, sound, good farm chuck, could work in any kind of rigging, 12 years old, \$35; one driving horse, 1939, sound, kind, used as my family horse, I will give my carriage harness and all, \$20; I have some nice pigs and nice breeding sows, weigh from 50 to 175 each. Call Morse's Farm, Tel. Con. North Woburn, near old car barn.

UPRIGHT PIANO FOR SALE, used very little; fine condition; must be sold for cash; will sell at bargain. 328 Fletcher st.

TWO HORSES, FOUR WAGONS, TWO sleighs, for sale. Cyrus W. Russell, formerly of Russell Grocery Co., 575 Merrimack st.

HELP WANTED

INVESTIGATE THIS NEW PACE! Money making proposition. Two stores and two tenements, pay 10% \$5000; can be bought with \$1000 down, balance in one or more payments. Every detail will be submitted for your inspection. P. O. Box 1243, Providence, R. I.

AMBITIOUS YOUNG MEN WANTED for railway mail clerks, 18 to 25 years. \$500 per annum to start. For free particulars write A. E. Richards, Springfield, Mass.

EXPERIENCED ARCHITECTURAL draughtsman wanted. Apply in person to James T. Allen, Architect, 283 Essex st., Lawrence, Mass.

WOMEN WANTED TO MAKE aprons, 10 cents per dozen, work and parcel post; send addressed stamped envelope for particulars. Fenway Specialty Co., 551 Washington st., Boston, Mass.

MAN WANTED, ABOUT 40 TO 55 years of age, resident of Lowell, to act as agent for automobile concern. Man who knows city and people thoroughly, preferred. Apply by letter only, to B. J. Briscoe, New American Hotel, Lowell, Mass.

GOVERNMENT JOBS OPEN TO MEN and women. Big pay. Write for list of positions now available. Franklin Institute, Dept. 1641, Rochester, N. Y.

SALESMAN WANTED BY WELL known manufacturer to handle high grade specialty sold to manufacturers; exceptional opportunity for big caliber commission man with knowledge of factory systems and operations. Apply P. O. Box 31, Chicopee Falls, Mass.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

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Hundreds of the industrious working people are now taking advantage of our methods. Are you one of them? If not, why not? We are making new friends every day and holding the confidence of our customers as they can testify.

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We enable you to take advantage of the January sales at 40 per cent. to 50 per cent. discount, thereby making a profit for yourselves. Others are doing this. Why not you?

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LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of James J. O'Brien, late of Lowell in said County, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for probate, by Clara Mansur, who preys that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-first day of January, A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said County, at the day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

F. M. ESTEY, Asst. Register.

gor of fire-fighting, unless mixed with cow manure or kept moist. When manure ferments it liberates a large percentage of its ammonia. If the manure is thrown into the yard, outside of the barn, and especially where the water from the eaves may fall upon it, a large amount of the ammonia is lost in leaching. The percentage may range all the way from 25 to 50 per cent, depending upon the length of time it is exposed. On the other hand, if it is placed in a tight receptacle and fermentation prevented very little loss to the farmer results.

Practically none of the fertility of the manure is lost when applying it to the field, unless the land is hilly, in which case heavy rains may wash away some of the nutrients. The elements of plant food do not pass off until the manure ferments, and this will all be saved if the manure is drawn directly to the field.

RETURN OF MEXICANS

MINISTER OF WAR REQUESTS U. S. GOVERNMENT TO SURRENDER FEDERALISTS WHO CROSSED BORDER

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 14.—A formal request for the return to Mexico of General Salvador Alvarado, who commanded the federal troops at Oahujo, together with his comrades who crossed into American territory is to be made to the United States government by General Aureliano Blanquet, Mexican minister of war, according to an announcement made by him today.

Bruderick's, Lincoln, Trl. eve.

SAY HUNDREDS PERISHED

REFUGEES FROM ISLAND OF SAKURA THINK INHABITANTS OF 300 HOUSES ARE LOST

MIYAZAKI, Japan, Jan. 14.—A party of refugees from the island of Sakura arrived here today and reported that the inhabitants of 300 houses composing the village of Seto on that island lost their way in trying to reach the seashore and escape and probably all perished together. The refugees believe also that many others were drowned in trying to swim across the gulf to Katsuruma. The volcano of Sakurajima is said to have completely changed its form, several new craters having opened.

The hull of ashes ceased here today after lasting for 36 hours, and a heavy rain has cleared the atmosphere.

New novelties, Associate Friday.

WATER VERY RUSTY

The city water in certain sections of Lowell was very rusty this morning, according to reports from many residents, and the cause of this, it is believed, was the rusting of the Cook wells. Especially in Belvidere the water was thick with rust and mud and it was stated that the large amount of water used by the fire department in extinguishing last night's many fires might have had something to do with the disturbance of the water in the pipes.

GENERAL STRIKE

Causes Suspension of Entire Railroad Service of Portugal!

LISBON, Portugal, Jan. 14.—The entire railroad service of Portugal was suspended today on account of the declaration of a general strike by the employees. About one-third of the railroads belong to the state.

Chippewas, Lincoln, Fri., Jan. 16th.

PROBLEMS OF FERTILIZING

Hints in Use of Ground Phosphate Rock—Amount Per Acre and How it May be Applied

More and more is the New England farmer realizing the value of proper care of the land and the importance of good fertilizing. Some of them are using ground phosphate rock in connection with the manure and are trying different methods of mixing it before applying to the field.

Raw phosphate rock is not a good absorbent, but if it is sprinkled in the gutters behind the cows after the manure is removed it tends to dry them, just as would any dry, powdered material. Most practical men believe that somewhere in the neighborhood of 50 to 600 pounds of the rock phosphate should be applied to every acre if the land has a fairly good supply of phosphorus; more than this can be used if the land is deficient. In the same way it has been found that the best results are obtained when from 10 to 15 tons of barnyard manure are used to the acre. Hence the adding of about 50 or 60 pounds of raw rock phosphate to the ton of manure will make the necessary combination of 500 to 600 pounds per acre.

It is always a better plan to draw the manure directly to the fields from the barn. This is the time when the manure is the most efficient, and a greater percentage of the fertility may be saved by using this method. However, there are times when this method is impractical and at such times there may be a demand for rock phosphate. If this is the case, the manure may be placed in a concrete receptacle which may or may not be covered.

A little heat does not injure manure, according to the experience of many farmers, but horse manure is in dan-

A HAPPY BALD HEADED MAN

Well-Known Politician Nearly Bald Now Has Heavy Growth of Hair

Tells How He Did It

A western politician, well known on account of his business and ready wit, surprised his friends by appearing with a heavy growth of hair. Many of his old friends did not know him and others thought he had a wig. On being asked how he did it, he made the following statement: "I attribute the remarkable growth of my hair to the use of the following simple recipe which any lady or gentleman can mix at home: To a half pint of water add 1 oz. of bay rum, a small box of Barbo Compound and 4 ounces of glycerine. Apply to the scalp two or three times a week with the finger tips. It not only promotes the growth of the hair but prevents dandruff, scalp humors, and prevents the hair from falling out. It darkens streaked, faded, gray hair and makes the hair soft and glossy. These ingredients can be purchased at any drug store at very little cost and mixed at home."

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LOCAL CARMEN INSTALL OFFICERS

Division 280, the local union of the Street Railway Employees of America, installed its recently elected officers at the regular snooty talk held at its rooms in the Rundels building last evening.

Owing to the pressure of union business in Boston, Organizer Fred Pay, who had been expected to address the members, was not present, but another Boston leader, Thomas Shine, gave a rousing address on the principles of unionism as it affected the destinies of the street railway men. In his remarks Mr. Shine referred to the loyalty with which the local conductors and motormen assisted their striking brethren in Boston during the recent street railway conflict. Another speaker whose remarks were listened to with deep interest was ex-President William E. Sproule. Mr. Sproule, who is one of the leading men in the Trades and Labor council, elucidated the nine-hour law and pointed out the good effects it would have on the lives of the railway men. A visitor, Philip J. Byrne of Brockton, walking delegate for the Boot and Shoe Workers' union, pleaded for unity in buying as well as in making goods, and emphasized the necessity of always demanding the union label on all possible purchases. President Fred Crowley presided and during the course of the evening spoke in a happy vein on the material good which the union already has accomplished for the railway men.

The musical program was carried through with much success. This was opened by Andrew Doyle, who sang "Peg o' My Heart" with splendid effect. A classical composition was

next rendered by John Green with fine tone color. John Payne followed this with one of his rib-tickling monologues. Then Joseph Walsh of Chelsea sang "To Have, to Hold, to Love" with stirring emphasis and John Blair, in unusually beautiful voice, gave some of his well known Scottish airs with rare sweetness. A trio consisting of James Lyons, Lindsay O'Brien and Jas. McNulty sang a medley of songs, which were enthusiastically applauded. This brought the musical program to a close.

A pleasant feature of the meeting was the presentation of a handsome smoking set to the retiring secretary, Charles A. Gallagher, in recognition of his long term of faithful service in this position.

The following officers were inducted into office: President, Fred Crowley; vice president, Joseph Powers; recording secretary, John J. Kelley; financial secretary and treasurer, Thomas C. Sullivan; day warden, Thomas Griffin; night warden, Michael O'Brien; board of trustees, John Lyons, Emerson McLean and Joseph Shea; executive board, Patrick Felt, Martin McNamara, Michael W. Regan, Thomas Powers, Edward J. Donnelly; janitor, Patrick Lowe; correspondent to Motormen and Conductors, P. Rooney.

The success of last night's meeting was due to the untiring efforts of a committee headed by Patrick Felt.

Michael McCabe, who was fined \$5 for drunkenness last Monday, was in again this morning and the court ordered him to the common jail for a term of 20 days. Stephen R. Richards, a parole man from the state farm, was returned to that institution, white

Island, the reported scene of the wreck, by this time.

RACING TO RESCUE

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—The North German Lloyd liner Kronprinzessin Cecilie, reported yesterday to be among the vessels racing to the rescue of the stranded steamship Coboguid, was passing Nantuxet at 4:30 a. m. today and should reach her dock shortly.

No word has been received by the line this morning from her commander as to whether he received the Coboguid's wireless calls for help.

Everybody is talking Anso. Friday.

FROZEN TO DEATH

Body of Unknown Man Found at Worcester

Today

WORCESTER, Jan. 14.—With three cents in the pockets, the body of an unknown man was found frozen stiff on Pleasant street here early this morning.

The city suffered severely from the continued cold today, with the mercury eight below zero at daybreak.

Ident Campers, Associate hall, Friday.

NOT A COCOON ON WHEELS, BUT A BIKE RACER WITH WIND SHIELD

Bureau Varilla, the Parisian cycle racer, has invented a wind shield enabling him to break many records. It is an egg shaped framework covered with silk. The illustration shows Varilla racing against time on a French track.

VARILLA RACING AGAINST TIME

John Gray was also given a free pass to the same place.

Howard Libbeault pleaded not guilty to a complaint charging him with neglect to provide proper support for his wife, and his case was continued till Friday morning.

Chippewas, Lincoln, Fri., Jan. 16th.

POLICE COURT SESSION

The docket at the police court this morning was exceptionally small, for there were but four offenders, three of whom were for drunkenness and the other for non-support of his wife.

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WHAT TO DO FOR NEURALGIA

The one great symptom of neuralgia is pain; the one great cause is lack of nutrition for the nerves, in plain language—starved nerves.

There are two things to do for any form of neuralgia. Apply heat to the affected part to soothe the pain, and feed the nerves by taking a tonic composed of the elements needed by them. Heat, as afforded by hot flannel, hot water bags, etc., lulls the inflamed nerves into temporary quiet. It does not cure. Not until the nutrition of the nerves is restored will the inflammation subside.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills furnish to the blood the needed elements and the blood conveys them to the nerves. The only way of getting food or medicine to the nerves is through the blood. Remember that.

Neuralgia is a general term. It means inflammation of a nerve. It is given different names according to the nerve affected. Sciatica is neuralgia of the sciatic nerve. Application of heat will soothe the pain in all forms of neuralgia and Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will correct the condition that caused it.

Your own druggist sells Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., will send you a little book on "Home Treatment of Nervous Disorders" for the asking.

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\$7,000,000 for Merrimack

FIRES HELD UP BOSTON TRAINS

Switch Tower Outside No. Station
and Round House at So. Station,
Boston, Gutted

BOSTON, Jan. 14.—The burning of a switch tower 100 yards outside of the North Union station placed an additional handicap on the train service of the Boston & Maine road today. The cold weather had curtailed the service considerably but the greater part of the morning rush from the suburbs was over when the tower was burned. Four men in the building had some difficulty in escaping.

The yard was blocked completely and passengers were obliged to take and leave trains at East Somerville, two miles outside of the station. The Boston & Maine officials said they would have the station in operation by noon.

As a result of the fire orders were issued discontinuing for two days service on the Saugus branch of the road. Incoming trains stopped at East Somerville, where all passengers who could be accommodated boarded a special shuttle train which carried them to the North station.

Service on the New Haven road out of the South terminal station was also hampered by fire. A blaze was discovered in a round house in the Dover street yards and the water poured into the building by the firemen covered many locomotives with a sheet of ice and rendered them temporarily unfit for service.

FREIGHT TRAIN WRECKED
PROVIDENCE, R. I., Jan. 14.—Through trains between New York and Boston on the New Haven road were delayed today by the wrecking of a freight train between Wipford Junction and Davisville. The train, known as "L. E. 2," had a broken wheel and the engine and train were swept around on the Willimantic branch. The tracks were cleared before noon. None was injured.

Chippewas, Lincoln, Fri., Jan. 18th.

GOLD WATCH CHAIN AND CHARM
lost Tuesday, Jan. 13. The finder will be rewarded by returning to the Sun Office.

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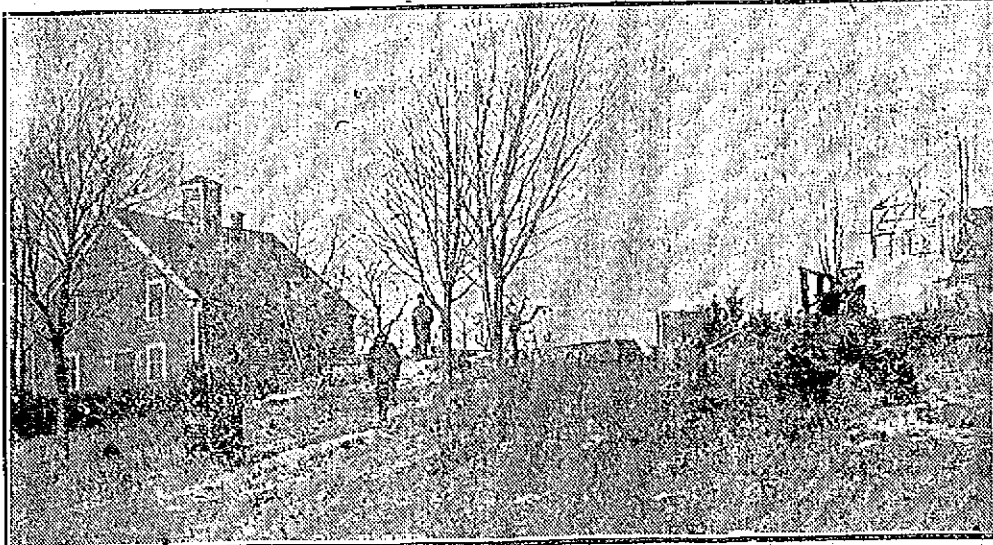
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FAVORED BY SPECIAL BOARD IN ITS REPORT TO THE LEGISLATURE

Construction of 18 Foot Channel is
Recommended at Cost of \$1,800,-
000 Up to Haverhill and \$5,000,000
From Haverhill to Lowell

BOSTON, Jan. 14.—The construction of an 18-foot channel up the Merrimack river from Newburyport to Lowell at an estimated cost of nearly \$7,000,000 is recommended by a special commission in its final report to the legislature today. The commission figures that it would cost \$1,800,000 to deepen the river from Newburyport to Haverhill and \$5,000,000 for dredging and locks from Haverhill to Lowell.

McMANMON NURSERY DESTROYED BY FIRE



VIEW OF THE RUINS OF THE McMANMON DWELLING, BARN AND GREENHOUSES

The Dwelling and Barn Were Also
Burned — Supt. Saunders Could Not
Send Any Help to Fight Fire

A disastrous fire occurred last night at the home and nursery of James J. McManmon in Brookside, Dracut, and stock were badly damaged. The loss was estimated at about \$20,000. Before the flames were extinguished the well appointed residence of the local florist and his barn were entirely destroyed, while the nursery and cellar of the house. When the flames were discovered a hurried call was sent to the local fire department, but how the fire started is not known.

Third Edition FROZEN CREW OF JOHN PAUL SAVED

Five Members Rescued as They
Were Being Swept to Sea—
Cook Died From Exposure

VINEYARD HAVEN, Jan. 14.—Five members of the crew of the schooner John Paul, which sank in the sound, early yesterday, were rescued as they were being swept to sea by the crew of the Cross Rip lightship. The cook, John Thorpe of New York, died from exposure just before the rescue of his companions. The rescue of the men was due to the alertness of the lightship's deckwatch, who heard the call of the men from the Paul and summoned the lightship's crew on deck, so that half a dozen lines were thrown as the longboat of the Paul swept by. Captain E. B. Phillips of Dennisport directed the transfer of the frost-bitten crew from the longboat to the deck of the lightship.

During the drift down to the lightship the longboat was filled with water four times and there succumbed to cold and exhaustion. Just before reaching the lightship the survivors began to shout lustily and the cry was heard. As their boat bobbed by the lightship they had just strength enough to catch one of the lines thrown to them and make it fast. It took nearly half an hour to drag them over the side of the lightship. Captain Phillips would not allow any of his crew to go down into the longboat for the body of the cook. A lightship tender which rescued the crew of the schooner F. G. Porter, Port Anboy for Calais, which was left in a leaking condition off Point Gammon, stopped at the Cross Rip on the way up the sound today and brought the five men here. Two of them were taken to the marine hospital to be treated for frost bites. "We owe our lives to that deck watchman on the lightship and Capt. Phillips and his crew," said Captain Hutchingson of the John Paul as he stepped ashore today.

THINK ALL SAFE

Steamer Cobequid Was
Sighted—Greater Part
of Hull Above Water

YARMOUTH, N. S., Jan. 14.—The Royal Mail Packet Co.'s steamer Cobequid was sighted aground on Trinity ledge near here when the fog lifted this afternoon.

The greater part of the steamship's hull is above water and it is believed that all on board are safe.

FOUND FROZEN IN STREET.
NEW HAVEN, Jan. 14.—The extreme cold in Connecticut began to show this afternoon. At Bridgeport, an unknown man was found frozen on the street. John Carlson, 60, a farm laborer, was frozen to death near Waterbury and in that city a fire in its residential district for a time gave a mild scare, several houses being ablaze.

SWIMMING MEET

—Y. M. C. A.—
Thursday, 8 P. M.
LOWELL vs. BEVERLY
Admission 15c. Reserved Seats 25c.

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VOTERS

WISHING TO ASSERT THEIR RIGHTS, AND TO DEMAND THEIR "INITIATIVE" PRIVILEGES UNDER THE CHARTER AND BY THEIR OWN VOTES TO CONTINUE THE LOCATION OF THE NEW CONTAGIOUS HOSPITAL IN

BELVIDERE

will find petitions for special election on this subject for signing in all sections of the City as follows:

PAWTUCKETVILLE

L'Esperance's Drug Store, Moody street; Joseph B. V. Colburn's Grocery, Mammoth Road; Holland's Drug Store, Mammoth Road.

WARDS 2 and 7

Sullivan's Barber Shop, Liberty Square; Lynch's Barber Shop, Richardson Hotel; Brown's Drug Store, Broadway; Kennedy's Barber Shop, Broadway; McNabb's Drug Store, Broadway; Frayne's Barber Shop, Merrimack street; Doyle's Barber Shop, Liberty Square; Lowell Pharmacy, Merrimack street; Quill's Barber Shop, Cabot street; Frye & Crawford's Drug Store, Merrimack street; St. John's Pool Room, Merrimack street; Daigle's Barber Shop, Merrimack and Cabot streets.

CENTRALVILLE

Duffy's Cigar Store, Bridge St.; Noonan's Drug Store, Bridge and First Sts.; Wells' Drug Store, Bridge St.; Sparks' Drug Store, Lakeview avenue; Downs' Cigar Store, Bridge and Fifth streets.

BELVIDERE

Brunelle's Pharmacy, E. Merrimack St.; Concord Drug Store, E. Merrimack St.; Andover Pharmacy, Andover and Fayette Sts.

WARDS 4 and 5

Scott's Pool Room, Middlesex street; Keefe's Barber Shop, Lawrence street; Phelan's Drug Store, Gorham street; Carr's Pool Room, Gorham street; Davis Square Drug Store, Field's Drug Store, Gorham street; Quirbach's Cigar Store, Gorham street.

WARDS 3 and 8

George's Drug Store, Chelmsford St.; Steeves' Drug Store, Chelmsford St.; Page's Drug Store, Westford and Pine Sts.; Willson's Drug Store, School and Branch Sts.; Deslandes' Barber Shop, Branch and Nichols Sts.; Walker's Drug Store, Middlesex St.; Falls & Birkinshaw's Drug Store, Middlesex St.

CURLEY ELECTED MAYOR GENERAL STRIKE CALLED

Congressman Chosen Over Councilor Kenny by 5720 Majority—McDonald, Coleman and Woods Elected to City Council—Scannell and Corcoran Get School Committee Places—Heavy License Majority

THE VOTE FOR MAYOR

CURLEY	43,262
KENNY	37,542
Total Vote	80,804
Curley's Majority	5,720

IN 1910

Fitzgerald	47,177
Storow	45,775
Hibbard	1,814
Taylor	613
Total Vote	95,359
Fitzgerald's Plurality	1,402

THE VOTE FOR SCHOOL COMMITTEE

*SCANNELL, P. S. A.	50,831
*CORCORAN, P. S. A.	44,855
BOGAN	29,991
KEYES	21,961

*Elected

THE VOTE FOR CITY COUNCIL

*MCDONALD, C. M. L., G. G. A.	48,844
*COLEMAN, C. M. L., G. G. A.	36,877
*WOODS	34,306
HAGAN, C. M. L., G. G. A.	34,040
KEARNS	30,707
KNEELAND	27,946

*Elected

THE VOTE FOR LICENSE

YES	48,341
NO	26,908

Majority for License, 21,433

BOSTON, Jan. 14.—Congressman James M. Curley was elected mayor of Boston at the city election yesterday. He won with a majority of 5720 votes, receiving a total of 43,262 votes, as against 37,542 for his opponent, Thomas J. Kenny, the candidate endorsed by the Citizens' Municipal League and the Good Government association.

The total vote cast was 80,804, as against 56,333 in the Storow-Fitzgerald contest four years ago.

Two of the three candidates endorsed by the Good Government association for the council, George W. Coleman and Daniel J. McDonald, were elected.

Ex-Alderman William H. Woods defeated Henry E. Hagan for third place in the council contest by 265 votes. The other two defeated candidates for the city council were Fred J. Kneeland and Patrick A. Kearns.

Dr. David D. Scannell and Michael J. Corcoran, endorsed by the Public School association, defeated James M. Keyes and Frederick L. Bogan for the school committee by very large majorities.

The city was carried for license by 21,433 votes.

Carries 16 Wards

Congressman Curley won a notable victory carrying 16 out of the 26 wards of the city. He defeated Mr. Kenny in wards 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 22. Mr. Kenny carried wards 10, 11, 12, 13, 20, 21, 24, 25 and 26.

Considering the extreme cold weather, a big vote was cast although it unquestionably made considerable difference in the size of the vote in the suburbs.

Congressman Curley's victory was made all the more remarkable because he had the opposition of many of the Democratic leaders of the city. Although Mayor Fitzgerald was not in the open for Councilor Kenny it was well known that his sympathies leaned that way in the contest.

The election furnished many political surprises. For the first time in his career James Donovan lost ward 2. Four years ago that ward gave Mr. Storow over a 300 majority as against Mayor Fitzgerald. Yesterday Congressman Curley carried it over Councilor Kenny by practically the same majority.

Leaders Get Bad Smashing

In every section of the city the Democratic leaders who supported Mr.

Kenny received a bad smashing. Ex-Alderman Michael J. Leary in East Boston was unable to turn the tide that set in for Curley and his ward gave the mayor-elect a majority of 499 over Kenny.

Charlestown gave Curley an overwhelming majority and it is evident on the face of the returns that ex-Senator Teeling, who was the Kenny campaign manager, was unable to swing any part of the democratic vote to his candidate.

In the North and West Ends of the city Congressman Curley secured a tremendous vote and his election was assured when ward 8 gave him a majority of 1241 votes.

Councilor Kenny managed to carry ward 16 in South Boston by 143 votes, but Congressman Curley carried wards 13 and 14. The lead of the Roxbury congressman became decisive when his home district, ward 17, rolled up for him a majority of over 2200.

In ward 18, Senator Thibault made a strenuous fight to deliver to Kenny, but he failed, Congressman Curley carrying it by over 600 votes. Kenny carried ward 20 by 249 votes. In this ward as in the North End, the Hebrew vote was almost solid for him.

Lomasney Delivers Ward

This was particularly noticeable in precincts 7, 11 and 16, where the vote given to James J. Storow four years ago was completely reversed. Congressman Curley's stand on the immigration bill gave him the Hebrew vote of the city almost solidly and was largely responsible for his big majority in ward 8. Representative Lomasney did not make up his mind until the eleventh hour to support Mr. Curley, and only then because he found it was impossible to hold the Hebrews in line for Councilor Kenny.

The vote in the Dorchester wards was a great disappointment to the Kenny supporters. Curley's vote showed constant gains over that of Storow four years ago.

An analysis of the returns shows

In South Africa—Governmental Retaliation Swift in Proclamation of Martial Law

CAPE TOWN, Jan. 14.—A general strike throughout South Africa was proclaimed last night by the trades federation and the Rand miners by a two-thirds majority voted to join in the movement. Governmental retaliation was swift in the proclamation of martial law.

If the miners obey the strike order, the government will immediately take steps to send all native workmen under escort back to their kraals. This means that about 200,000 natives must be marched back by road their homes at enormous cost. It will be most difficult after the end of the strike, to recruit them again, and such a step would mean disaster for the Rand for many years.

Although official reports from Johannesburg show improvement in the train service, reports from other districts are less encouraging. In Natal it is feared that the loyalty of the trainmen will not stand the strain much longer. Practically no information is at hand

as to the conditions in the Orange Free state, but improvement there is not considered probable.

From the government's standpoint about the only ray of light in the situation today was the assurance from the Indian leader Gandhi that the passive resistance movement by the Indians would be dropped during the present trouble.

The Union government remains firm in its attitude. Premier Louis Botha is said to have declared that he would "guarantee that with the end of the present crisis there would not be another workers' strike in South Africa for a generation."

Premier Botha has addressed a circular to the natives advising them to obey the compound managers, assuring them of the fullest protection. The circular seems to have had an excellent effect.

The strikers are now making strenuous attempts to bring out the running staffs of the Cape Colony railways, but the pickets are not allowed to approach within 100 yards of the quarters where the railway employees are housed.

FRED A. BUTTRICK DIES SUDDENLY

Passed Away at His Home Without Any Apparent Illness

President of Local Bank and Well Known in Business Circles



THE LATE FRED A. BUTTRICK.

Fred A. Buttrick, president of the City Institution for Savings and one of the most prominent bankers in Lowell, died very suddenly last evening at his home, 4 Hanks street, aged 66 years.

Although Mr. Buttrick had not enjoyed the most rugged health for some years past he was apparently in good physical condition. He attended to the many important duties of his position without complaint and yesterday he appeared in his usual health. In the afternoon he visited the home of his son, Winthrop, on Andover street, and after partaking of the evening meal he played cards for some time with visiting friends and members of his family. He left the home of his son about 8.30 p. m. and started for his own residence. "Getting off the car at the junction of Andover and North streets, he walked from there home. The wind blew strongly at the time and when Mr. Buttrick arrived home he was much fatigued. He therefore lay down on a couch to rest and in a short time passed away without apparent suffering.

Mr. Buttrick was president of the

City Institution for Savings for over 20 years. He was made treasurer about 1875 after he had worked there as a clerk for many years. He was also a director in the Appleton bank. He will be missed in the business and financial life of the city and by the many friends attracted to him by his sincere nature, his nobility of character and his high intellectual attainments.

The sympathy of the people of the city goes out to his wife who survives him, to his daughter, Miss Eleanor Buttrick and to his son, Mr. Winthrop Buttrick.

where ex-Senator Innes was supporting Councilor Kenny. Four years ago ward 11 gave Mr. Storow a majority of 2234 votes over Mayor Fitzgerald. Yesterday it only gave Councilor Kenny a majority of 1632 votes with only 2655 votes cast, as against 3479 four years ago. There was the same lack of republican support in other strong republican wards.

Four years ago Mr. Storow carried ward 22, which was yesterday won by Congressman Curley. The defeat of Henry E. Hagan, the Citizens' Municipal league candidate for the city council, by ex-Alderman Woods of Brighton, was one of the biggest surprises of the day.

Abolish Tunnel Tolls

The act abolishing the tolls in the East Boston tunnel was carried by a majority of 3497 votes. The vote was: yes 34,123, no 26,626.

The workmen's compensation act as affecting public employees was accepted by a majority of 32,939. The vote was: yes 45,553, no 12,614. The act fixing an eight-hour day for public employees was carried by a majority of 43,000. The vote was: yes 52,048, no 5048.

Ideal Campers, Miner's Asso., Friday.

Don't forget that The Sun issues a noon edition containing all the latest local and telegraphic news.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

KELTH'S THEATRE

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the Kelth theatre any time this week, and take a look at Gus Edwards' "School Boys and Girls." They give one of the prettiest and at the same time liveliest of acts called "Graduation Day." And don't overlook the fact that diminutive Dolly Chiff is one of the most fascinating stage kiddies seen here in years. She's everything that she ought to be as an entertainer, and that isn't stating it too forte, either. In "Motoring," the Harry Tate act based upon the fads and follies of the motor car owner, one simply cannot refrain from bursting into hilarious laughter. Made for birth-provoking purposes it serves its purpose flawlessly. Frank Wood and Bunnie Wyde, in a singing and dancing act called "Good Night," have one of the heartiest offerings and Bisset & Scott, male dancers, rattle out various dances in splendid manner. Other things on the bill which are good, are: Vedder & Morgan in a sketch; Loretta & Bud in posing; Valentine Vox, ventriloquist,

and the Pathe Weekly. Good seats may be secured in advance at the box office. Phone 23.

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

William A. Brady's production of George Broadhurst's wonderfully attractive play "Bought and Paid For" which comes to the Opera House tonight, is a farcical story, including characters of people in all walks of life, from the struggling telephone operator to the multi-millionaire, around whom the story is written. The characters are extremely alive, sympathetic and soulful. This production features William A. Brady the peer of producers when the best of the east and scenic background are to be reckoned with.

The leading roles are played by Frank Hill, Eleanor Flower, Marion Lord and J. J. Conlan, and they are ably assisted by Marie Hird, Makoto Inokuchi and Alex C. Carlton.

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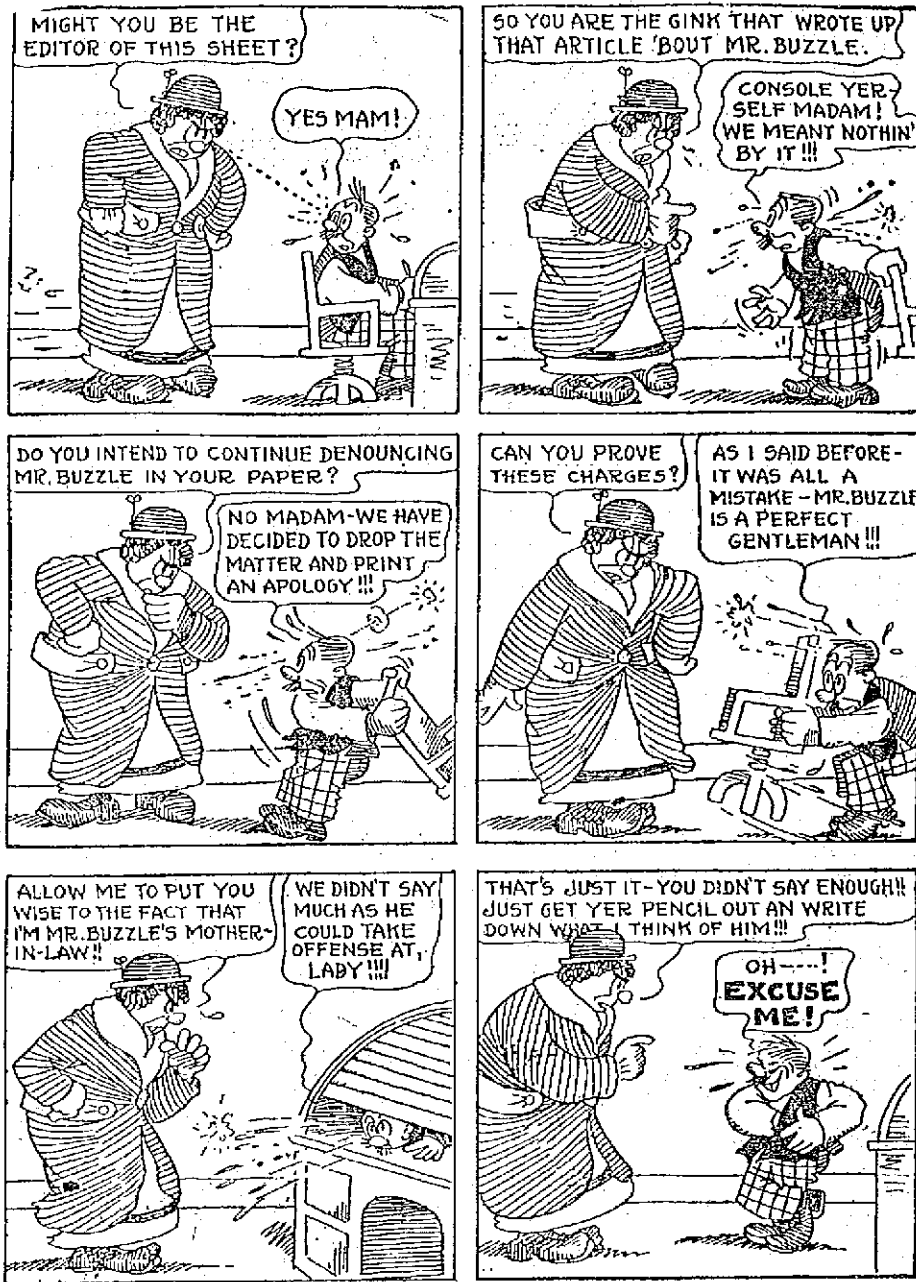
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HELD LIVELY MEETING

Park Board Members at Logger Heads — Attempt to Reduce Superintendent's Salary

The first meeting of the park board for 1914 was held last night and it was quite a lively one. Com. Carr had been saving up for it and he made some pretty broad statements. He said there were sneaks in the park department and that the department should be weeded or cleaned out. He averred that if he should conduct his business as the park department in the red flag would soon make its appearance over his door. Mr. Carr waxed warm because of some reference to his brother-in-law by Commissioner Rountree, but Mr. Rountree disclaimed any intent at special reference to the man in question.

Dr. Mignault moved that the pay of the superintendent of parks be reduced to \$1000 a year or lowered that would be a polite way of asking the superintendent to resign. Dr. Mignault thought the superintendent's pay as at present, \$1600, was too much for the appropriation but despite the doctor's desire to reduce the superintendent's pay in advocated the hiring of a foreman at \$1000 a year or thereabouts to assist the superintendent. The doctor's philosophy didn't appeal to the chairman. Commissioners Carr and Mills were in favor, too, of reducing the superintendent's pay but the matter was allowed to go over till such time as the municipal council passes out the appropriations for the year.

The annual reports of the superintendent and commissioners were read and approved. The report of Superintendent John W. Kernan was a very interesting one and the commissioners congratulated him. Valuable suggestions and recommendations were contained in both of the reports.

The commission voted to ask for an appropriation of \$29,450 for the year.

All members were present when Chairman Harvey E. Greene called to order at 8:15 and the chairman, after the reading of the records by Secretary Rountree, read the commissioner's report in which the superintendent was congratulated for his good work and strict attention to duty.

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The report of the commission, prepared by the chairman was, in part, as follows:

It is a well-known fact that there is a beauty hunger as well as a bodily hunger, anyone doubting it should try to carry a bunch of flowers through a street of tenements and see how far he will get before the last flower has been begged away from him. Or let anyone offer to give away plants, watch the eager crowds of boys and girls that come long distances in order to get the prize, that they may watch it grow in their garden.

To the joy of our citizens the grass, trees and flowers of our parks and commons offer the only chance they have to appease their beauty hunger, and it has pleased the members of the park commission to note that more people every year are making use of our parks and commons with the result that certain parts of the work of the year has been most maintenance, with the exception of much-needed regrading at the South common near Summer and Thordike streets, together with grading and the

removal of boulders at Shedd park near Rogers and Boylston streets, which work has changed for the better the whole appearance of the park.

We have also planned and worked over a plot of ground on the west side of Fort Hill park for a nursery and already have planted several hundred shrubs and trees which later can be used in the parks, or planted as shade trees in the streets. This is the beginning of an effort to gradually provide shade trees, with the idea of getting at cost or of giving away to those who will plant them under the direction of the department, as is done in many other cities.

An important part of our work is the care of the street trees, on account of the small yearly appropriation, it has been impossible to do any aggressive work and we have simply been able to try to keep the dead limbs trimmed and the dead and dangerous trees cut down and, do the best we can, we have never been able to get the work caught up. There are still over 374 trees that are dangerous and ought to be cut down at once. In the 11 years of our history we have cut down over 223 trees and planted less than 25. In order to make sure that the future Lowell shall be provided with trees, we would recommend that no new streets be accepted by the council that did not allow at least three feet between the curb-stone and sidewalk for trees and grass, also that trees must be planted and protected before the street is accepted.

Playgrounds

We wish to emphasize the importance to the children of the city, of supervised play. The work of the past summer was for the most part up to the former high standard and in the industrial work we think the best ever. The exhibit of the work of the children held in one of the downtown stores was attended by thousands.

Small Squares

For the first time in many years no new square has been improved and added to the 17 we already have, although efforts were made to have the city council purchase the square at the junction of Gorham and Carlisle streets, consisting of about 1400 feet and at a cost of only \$150. We sincerely hope your honorable body will see fit to give to the citizens this most improvement this year.

Billboards

In our efforts to beautify the city we have worked consistently from the beginning, when we started the campaign against billboards, by ordering down all such disfigurement built about the street trees. Each year has marked progress and we are glad to record that the past year has seen the last of the great billboards that for years have rested on the fences of the Locks & Canals property on Suffolk and Lewis streets, removed. This does much to clear the city of the offensiveness to the sight and we hope all property owners will aid us by refusing to allow their land or buildings to be used for such advertising, and that our merchants will refuse to advertise upon them, and that the citizens will refuse to purchase wares thus advertised.

We wish to thank our new superintendent, Mr. John W. Kernan, for the faithful and efficient manner in which he has conducted the work of the department.

Respectfully submitted,

Harvey E. Greene,
Henry B. Carr,
Alexander E. Rountree,
John H. Mills,
Rodrigue Mignault.

Money for the Year

Estimates of money needed for the year were discussed. The acquisition of the triangular plot of ground at the junction of Gorham and Carlisle streets was talked over. Chairman Greene said the city should certainly acquire it and Mr. Mills came forward with the information that certain parties were trying to get it for a stone shed. Mr. Greene said it would be a disgrace to erect a stone shed in the

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place. It was decided to bring the matter to the attention of the municipal council.

The board decided to ask for \$2500 for the care of trees. "We'll get it, I don't think," said Mr. Mills. Last year the sum of \$300 was voted. Mr. Carr said that the appropriations allowed the park department in the past were insufficient. He spoke of the South common where but one man is employed to look after about 22 acres, and the North common where one man cares for 11 1-2 acres. He then moved that the commission ask for \$12,000 for labor, instead of \$3000 as was originally suggested. Dr. Mignault seconded the motion.

Mr. Carr complained of a practice indulged in by skaters at Shedd park. "They form what is known as the 'whip and knock' people," he said. "I think we should attempt to do it this year. I favor asking for \$10,000 for labor."

"We have asked for more money for 11 years," said the chairman, "and we have never succeeded in getting it." "You got after them on paper but you didn't force the issue. There has been too much soft soap and my dear alphonse in this department," said Mr. Carr.

It was then voted to ask for \$12,000 for labor, instead of the total up to \$22,000 for the year.

Hiring a Horse

John G. Gordon, superintendent of moth extermination, attended the meeting and John was very enough, too, not to take off his overcoat for it was almost as cold in the park department's headquarters as in the street. Mr. Gordon wanted to hire a horse from the park department. He said that Commissioner Donnelly, who has charge of the moth department, was willing to pay \$1 a day for a horse. Mr. Rountree wanted an employee of the park department to drive the horse. He said that a valuable horse belonging to the park department had been run over on the South common by careless driving. The department paid over \$300 for the horse and sold him, after his injury, for \$15. "I don't propose to have any more of our horses injured by incompetent handling," said Mr. Rountree.

It seems Mr. Carr thought that the driver referred to by Mr. Rountree was his, Carr's brother-in-law and he asked the privilege to speak. Mr. Carr is more or less of a parliamentarian and he promised to stick close to Cushing.

"The big trouble with the park boards is," he said, "that they have all been dead ones and the department has been run by a nest on the inside. There is a sneak connected with this department who gave a story out to a newspaper to the effect that the pay of a brother-in-law had been raised. I did try to have his pay raised, but because he refused to play the part of a sucker his pay wasn't raised."

"There's a clique in this department that has been running things for years and the clique ought to be cleaned out. There is no system in this department and never has been. What's been going on in this department for 10 years? You have been a lot of dead ones. Come into executive session now and I'll tell you a few things that will make your hair stand on end. There are men in this department who have abused me behind my back. One fellow said I looked more like a German than an Irishman and another called me names. It is our duty to discharge every man in the department with the exception of the superintendent and clerk. You need not think for one moment, gentlemen, that I am going to sit here this year and see the same old game played."

Mr. Carr was looking at Mr. Rountree about this time and Mr. Rountree asked Mr. Carr if he was addressing his remarks to him.

"I am addressing the board," said Mr. Carr, "and I."

"If you're addressing the board don't be looking at me. You make me nervous," said Mr. Rountree.

Mr. Carr then referred to the little game of politics and declared that every man on the board with the exception of Mr. Mills has played politics. "Don't pick me up for a fool or a sucker," he said, "you do you'll get your hands burned."

There was much more talk and the board finally got back to the question of letting the moth department have a horse for \$1 a day and the board voted to let Mr. Gordon have the horse.

Reduction of Salary

The chairman asked if there was any other business before the board and Mr. Mignault said he wanted to speak about the superintendent's salary. He said he felt the salary was too large for the appropriation and he moved that it be reduced from \$1600 to \$1000. Mr. Greene said the superintendent works long hours and that to reduce his salary to \$1000 would be a polite way of asking him to resign.

Dr. Mignault had said that he would favor employing a foreman and Mr. Rountree called his attention to the fact that a foreman would cost about \$276 a year and that would bring the salary list up to more than it is now.

Chairman Greene said that no foreman was needed in the department. He said the superintendent can do the work all right and has done it.

Mr. Carr said he would agree to \$1200 a year for the superintendent. The chairman said he felt that the superintendent was worth \$1600 a year.

"I think if we can show the municipal council we are trying to reduce salaries then we may get more money," said Mr. Mills.

"Well, if we pay \$1600 to the superintendent and \$1000 to a foreman, that will mean rather more than the \$1600 we are now paying," said Mr. Greene.

It was voted to lay the matter over

to the next meeting.

Dr. Mignault wished to have the vote of the commission last spring, whereby the superintendent hires and fires employees, rescinded.

"You will never have authority to enforce discipline unless you give to the superintendent the power to hire and discharge employees," said the chairman. "You can't have a live-headed department, whereby each member of the commission has an equal power in the matter of hiring and firing."

The matter was allowed to rest.

Mr. Carr moved that Chairman Greene have a conference with the attorneys of the Shedd estate, to state the facts relative to the inability of the city to borrow money for park improvements. It was so voted and Mr. Carr was designated to accompany him.

Mr. Carr moved and it was voted that the Bay State Street Railway Co. be asked to supply a policeman for duty at Shedd park skating pond. Adjourned.

Superintendent's Report

John Woodbury Kernan, superintendent of parks, submitted the annual report of the park department to the park commission, yesterday.

Mr. Kernan took office in April last and his report deals with the work of the department since that time. He says there are many things he has in mind that he might suggest for the improvement of parks and commons but he says there isn't any use in suggesting them when there isn't any money to carry them out.

Relative to the West Centralville playground Mr. Kernan says:

After considerable agitation together with a public hearing before the municipal council for the acquiring of a park and playground in West Centralville, by the residents of that section, I prepared a plan at the suggestion of Alderman Cummings, showing a tract of land, with a frontage on Algonquin street extending along the northern bank of the Merrimack river to Beaver Brook and then easterly to Lakeview avenue, comprising approximately 22.57 acres, the property of the Locks and Canals.

At the request of Alderman Cummings I appeared before the members of the municipal council and presented the plan with assessed values, answering several questions pertaining to the location, etc.

On December 31st, the municipal council voted to purchase the land, but the action was rescinded by the new city government, January 5th, 1914, so that the matter is now held in abeyance for further consideration.

Modern Bubble Fountains

There is nothing more appreciated in a public park now-a-days than a good old drink of water, especially during the summer, and as many of our drinking fountains are antiquated, I would recommend that modern bubble fountains be installed as follows:—1 on South common, 3 on North common, 1 at Fort Hill Park, 1 at Shedd Park, 1 at Tyler park, and 1 at West Centralville park, making a total of 11 bubble

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WOOL PUFFS with silklike center and plain color silk border, size 72x78, \$4.50 value, at

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WOOL PUFFS with silk muslin covering in handsome patterns, size 72x78, \$7.00 value, at

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FINE WOOL PUFFS filled with pure white lamb's wool, covered with figured silk center and plain color silk border, \$9.00 value, at

\$8.50

FINE WOOL PUFFS covered with fine plain color silk, also printed silk with plain color silk lining, filling of best quality lamb's wool, \$10.00 value, at

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\$10.00

\$13.50 value, at

\$11.50

\$15.00 value, at

\$11.50

fountains for an approximate expense of \$1000.

I further recommend, aside from the regular appropriation for the coming year, \$1000 for concrete walks on the North and South commons and Fort Hill park; and \$1000 for grading the Rogers street front of Shedd park. I would also renew the recommendation made June 7th of last year, that a runabout be purchased for the use of the department. One driving horse won't begin to do the work and have it properly supervised. In addition to covering the park work, there are from eight to ten complaints daily on tree

work, that need inspection, many times in widely different parts of the city, and when the playground season is on, they require being visited two or three times a week to keep in touch with their wants which are many. \$1000 was asked for to meet this expense.

To sum up, (in addition to the regular appropriation of \$12,450 for maintenance) \$7800 is actually needed. (Continued to last page)

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THE INCOME TAX

Nine Mass. Men Ap- pointed by Commis- sioner Osborne

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—Nine plums yesterday were shaken from the new income tax tree into the soil of Massachusetts in the appointment of the following officials by Commissioner William H. Osborne, under the new tariff law, of which the income tax provision is a part:

John Buckley, Cambridge, agent, at \$6 a day and \$3 a day for subsistence.

John H. Buckley, Dorchester, inspector, \$5 a day and \$3 a day sub-

John C. Norton, Boston, deputy collector in the field, \$1600 a year and \$1200 a year subsistence.
F. W. Swift, New Bedford, deputy or clerk, \$1600 a year.
William J. Dean, Charlestown, deputy, \$1600 a year.
Allen Clark, Brighton, deputy, \$1600 a year.
Edward J. Dowd, Peabody, deputy, \$1600 a year.
Michael J. Carter, Roxbury, deputy, \$1600 a year.
John R. Ferchard, Hyde Park, deputy, \$1600 a year.

THREE KILLED BY COLD

BITING COLD—75-MILE-A-N-HOUR GALE

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—With the mercury standing at three degrees below zero early last night, this city lay in the grip of a cold snap of such severity as rarely is experienced here.

Less than a dozen times in the 43 years of the local weather bureau's history has the thermometer registered temperature as low.

Notwithstanding this downward plunge of the mercury, which caused three deaths from exposure yesterday, this was the warmest region of the state, reports from the country districts in northern New York showing an exceptionally mild day.

Since midnight the mercury here fell steadily from 14 degrees to 2 degrees at 5 o'clock this afternoon; and at 6 o'clock reached zero for the first time since Jan. 13, 1912, two years to a day.

It has never been under six below as far back as weather records have been kept here.

A wind that at times blew 75 miles

Many of the city's unemployed were given to shelter in missions and municipal lodging houses. The city, aiming to relieve these persons, began the

work of turning a recreation pier and charities department boats into lodging abodes, while the board of aldermen adopted a resolution favoring a vic employment agency.

A chauffeur died from exposure after sitting two hours in his automobile in front of Carnegie hall, and a laborer and a grocer's boy were overcome in hallways and died. Several persons

The tug Newport went adrift down the bay when her engines went "dead" and had to be rescued by the "barges."

The combination of high wind and low tide left so little water in the East and North rivers last night that

The Subway company was unable to procure the water necessary for condensing purposes in the power houses through its intakes, with the result that trains were operated at reduced

eed and with little heat in them. The surfaces of the park lakes were rozen thick and the city's public rinks are available for the first time this winter.

DOUBLE TRAGEDY

WOODLAW TRAIL

Chief of Radical Turk-

ish Party

PARIS, Jan. 14—A double tragedy con-

ected with Turkish political intrigue
s enacted today at the Paris residence
Gen. Mehemed Chirif Pasha, one of
e chiefs of the radical Turkish party.

A strange Turk called to see the Roman politician and was refused admission by the valet, Ismael Hakki, so he immediately shot dead.

Cherif Pasna's son-in-law, Salil Bey, holding the pistol, ran into the corner, where he shot and killed the assassin. The pasha has been the object of numerous threats, which he

herif is the editor of a newspaper
published here in the interests of con-
stitutionalism in Turkey and he con-

FUNERALS

HOWE—The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Howe took place this morning at 9.15 o'clock from her late home, 56 Grand street, and was largely attended. Funeral high mass was celebrated.

General high mass was celebrated at St. Peter's church at 9.45 o'clock by Fr. W. George Mullin. The Gregorian chant was sung by the church choir. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, where Rev. W. George Mullin

l the committal services. The
ers were Messrs. Patrick Cassidy,
mas Donnelly, Michael Beecher,
rick McManus, J. Oscar Phiney and
mas Howe. The floral tributes
and near the grave included

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McNeely, Mer-
eck Square theatre employees, Mr.
Mrs. P. H. Coleman, Mr. and Mrs.
ca Phiney, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick

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We have come to the time of the year when all men's stores run their annual mark-down sales. We, of course, are known as the store that sells MEN'S CLOTHING and FURNISHINGS with the cut price rate in the season. Now, in order for us to go and get business in the present hard times, we are forced into this predicament. To keep our reputation up as above stated, we must and had to come down in prices, lower than the regular cut price sales that are held. On account of our small advertising space we are only quoting a few of our many bargains that are awaiting you at this sale.

DRESS SHIRT DEPT.

Earl & Wilson Shirts, Chet & Peabody Shirts, Remington Shirts—Every shirt guaranteed or a new one replaced.

\$1.00 quality.....69c
\$1.50 quality.....77c
\$2.00 quality.....\$1.09
\$2.50 quality.....\$1.59
\$3.50 and \$4.00 quality.....\$2.69
50c and 75c Shirts, laundry proof.....37c

MEN'S UNDERWEAR

Derby Ribbed Shirts or Drawers, 50c grade.....35c
Fleece Lined Shirts or Drawers, 50c grade.....35c
White or Natural Wool Gray Shirts or Drawers, \$1 grade, 69c
White or Natural Wool Gray Shirts or Drawers, \$1.50 grade.....79c
White or Natural Wool Gray Shirts or Drawers, \$2.00 grade.....\$1.19
(COTTONS INCLUDED)
Union Suits, gray wool, \$1.00 quality.....69c
Union Suits, ceru wool, \$1.50 quality.....89c
Union Suits, ceru wool, \$2.00 quality.....\$1.19
\$1.00 Shirts or Drawers, natural wool. Sale price.....69c

MEN'S PANTS DEPT.

Black and Blue Included
\$1.50 grade. Sale price.....89c
\$2.50 grade. Sale price.....\$1.19
\$3.00 grade. Sale price.....\$1.79
\$4 and \$5 grade. Sale price.....\$2.79

HAT DEPT.

50c Caps, in the newest colors and shapes. Sale price.....27c

SUITS and OVERCOATS

There are Suits and Overcoats for both the conservative or the snappy dresser, and you will surely find what you are after in this big clothing dept.—Shawl, notch or ulster collars, knee, three quarter or full length, different mixtures and blacks are included, in all the newest models, prices ranging as follows:

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\$15 Suits or Overcoats **\$7.35**

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39c grade.....19c
50c and 69c grade.....35c
\$1.00 and \$1.50 grade.....79c
\$2.00 grade.....\$1.09

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10c. Sale price.....5c
15c. Sale price.....3 pairs 25c
35c. Sale price.....17c
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25c and 35c value.....17c
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\$1.00 value.....75c

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For men, women and children, in the newest colors, button front with or without shawl collars.
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\$4.00 grade. Sale price.....\$2.39
\$5.00 grade. Sale price.....\$3.69
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AROUND THE N. E. CIRCUIT

Harry Wormwood Picks Lewiston as Good City—O'Brien Once More Applies the Spotlight

"I see no reason why Lewiston should not make league baseball pay," said Harry Wormwood the Auburn boy who was with Duffy last year at Portland, while discussing the New England league of 1914. "In the first place they have the right kind of men at the head of the movement in Bill Carrigan and Mike McDonough and in the second place the rivalry between Lewiston and Portland will keep the interest up for a season at least and if the people show the right kind of sporting blood the team will finish well enough this season to warrant keeping it in Lewiston another season."

"In the smaller places and still leagues the interest is an intimate and personal affair. The star pitcher works in the store where you meet him every day, the first baseman works at the machine next to you in the shop, the right fielder and slugger lives just around the corner—all this lends a certain warmth to your approbation of his three baggers and home runs. In these places every joy is a common joy and every grief is common property."

"It was this kind of interest and spirit that was shown in Portland last year when Duffy brought the Fall River team to that city. Early in the year both the people and the press showed an interest that was worthy of the best in the players, and they got it."

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"If this kind of interest had been shown at Brockton last season there would have been at least three teams who would have finished behind her in the league. On the road Brockton had one of the best fighting teams in the league but at home very little real interest was shown on the part of the fans and the players seemed to show even less. Baseball players are very much human, a fact which most fans overlook, and how can you expect a man to stand up and fight for the name of a town that he doesn't even belong in when the people in that town or city show little or no interest in his battles or even thank him for winning them."

"If the sport of this section of the country shows a little of red blooded sportsmanship, takes his little two bits

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and attends the games instead of standing around the gate knocking the team, players and everybody in general, the players will be quick to show an interest that will result in a first division team.

"To the man who is inclined to argue that the Brockton team would be little affected by any rivalry that might exist between Lewiston and Portland I would say that if the interest is shown not only will keen rivalry be shown, but it will exist between them and all the other teams in the league."

"In last year's Brockton outfit Lewiston will find ample material for the foundation of a first division team. Anderson, who was purchased last year by the Red Sox, will possibly be returned to Brockton, and if such is the case he will prove a valuable man for Lewiston. Swapp, Brignolle and Shears are also pitchers of ability, and in Rutledge they have one of the best catchers in the league. In the outfield are Moliney and Howard, two hard hitters. In Down, who plays second base, Lewiston will find as fast a man as ever held down the second station around these parts."

When asked about the Portland

team Wormwood said: "With the exception of Sullivan, Burns and Humphrey the team will be about the same as last season."

Lynch With Lynn

Frank H. Connaughton, the former New England league player and manager, is loud in praise of the playing of Billy Lynch, the South Lawrence lad, who has signed to play with Lynn this coming season.

After Connaughton got through in New Bedford last season he went to the Maine-New Brunswick league. Lynch was playing in that league. Connaughton had a good chance to look him over and he says that he is every bit fast enough for New England league ball.

Lynch was tried out by Lynn last spring and let go. He made an impression, however, as Lynn was only too glad to sign him up again this winter for next season.—Lawrence Sun.

"Little" O'Brien

"Little" John O'Brien, who for a number of years past has been the manager of some New England league club, yesterday announced to the magnates of the "little old league" that he is about to form a trolley league which will include all three of the cities which have been dropped from the New England league schedule and two other Massachusetts cities, and possibly one or two from Rhode Island.

O'Brien intends that his league shall be made up of six teams. He has in mind Pawtucket and another Rhode Island city, Fall River, Brockton, New Bedford and several other cities.

The former magnate broke the news

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to the managers before they went into session at the Copley Plaza. The league will join hands with organized ball and is not to hamper the New England league as does the Federal the managers.

It is probable that the new circuit will become a Class D league.

Paul Howard Back

Paul Howard may play in the New England league next season. Howard is a fireman in Boston and, according to last accounts, he was sick of the job and wanted to come back to baseball. When Howard is right, he comes pretty nearly being the best fielder in the New England league, and here's hoping he returns to the fold.

PRISON REFORMS AND REFORMERS

In this year of grace an ordinarily hard-bitten, self-seeking business man was telling of a big loss he had suffered by embezzlement. "Why," said the listener, "don't you send that thief to the penitentiary?" Came the answer: "Did you ever see a penitentiary? I wouldn't send any man to prison." Perhaps this business man was not so ordinary as he seemed, but there is no doubt he voiced a kind of sentiment that is growing among Americans, and a curious two-edged blade it is. Human softness, imagination to feel another's woes, these are the very wool of Christian civilization, but the warp is respect for law. Here is another pointer toward prison reform. You must keep your prisons up with the growth of our love for our neighbors, or the whole fabric of the state is weakened by our revulsion against the stupidity and brutality of legal penalties. If you want murder discour-

aged, it becomes necessary to adjust penalties to the fixed ideas of jurors; if they want hangmen, why let us get busy and find out what is in accord with their consciousness in the matter. These things illustrate a high old truth—i. e., it is for the law to keep up with the people's hunger after righteousness; and this means movement, change. Truly, Chesterton is right in saying that men must be forever busy, throwing away, shoveling overboard, institutions they have made with pains and devotion, only in the course of time to outgrow and outgrow them. How proud and pious whole peoples have felt over the prison reform the great Howard forced on the early nineteenth century! They were a magnificent advance; now it seems to be up to us to see if we can advance as magnificently.

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KILLING THE LOAN SHARK

For many years there was not a more evil system in existence as a business proposition than the system of loans at exorbitant interest by which extortioners and usurers got their vampire clutch on thousands of unfortunates and made life for them a living hell. There was little of legislative regulation and little general discussion of the matter. All at once the public became aroused to the enormity of the wrong; press and public discussed it in all its phases, and before long we had laws which allowed the conducting of loan business under well defined legislative limits only and put an end to the system which leveled what it pleased on the wretch who fell into its clutches.

Since the state took the matter in hand six years or so ago progress has been rapid in the proper regulation of the loan business so as to safeguard the individual who is forced by circumstances to seek this means of relief from pressing financial burdens. Laws have been made which limit the amount of interest charged, eliminate many practices which were formerly tolerated, and bring the entire loan business and its promoters under state supervision. This supervision has been exercised judiciously and consistently and there is scarcely a week that the principal cities of the commonwealth do not see some prosecutions for breaches or violations of the law governing loans.

As a business proposition large loans lent by reputable firms and on fair terms are as necessary as they are common, but anything which would discourage the practice of petty loans to individuals is a distinct benefit to the community. There are times when it may be compulsory for individuals to borrow, but most of those who do so strive to avert a financial burden by substituting another, and one that will press heavier later on. The existence of loan companies offers to many weak strugglers a too ready temptation to throw their troubles into the future, and unfortunately too many still fall victim.

To do away with the evil of ready loans at high interest, a society has been formed in Boston founded on the system of co-operation which, if generally adopted would sound the knell of the loan sharks. It is a credit union with the avowed purpose of "supplying credit to worthy persons in need." It is said to be founded on the rural credit system in vogue in Germany by which the German farmer is supplied with all the money necessary for a scientific conduct of his business at critical times in anticipation of his profits when his crops are harvested.

The founder of the movement, a prominent banker of Boston, in explaining the new society calls it an association of "mutual trust and confidence—financial brotherhood." Among other stipulations its rules provide: that the association shall be organized on co-operative lines; that the association shall be one of men and not of shares; thus giving each shareholder but one vote irrespective of the number of shares he holds; that loans shall be made only for purposes which promise to result in a saving or a profit to the borrower; that borrowers must carry out to the letter the conditions of repayment agreed upon at the time their loans are made.

The success of a scheme such as this will depend mostly on the character of those who are admitted to membership, and the rules governing such admission omit no precaution which would tend to the end in view. Where such credit unions have existed abroad the direct result is said to be an improvement in the character of the borrower, who lost all self respect under the old system, and the elimination of the loan shark.

BEEF IMPORTATION

Although we do not hear any complaints from the meat barons regarding any falling off in business since the tariff went into effect, statistics supplied by the federal government, department of commerce, show that the meat market in the matter of supply has been very much affected by the new law. If the increase of imported meats for the future is in accordance with the increase thus far there will have to be some reduction in prices and the American public will be enabled to supply their tables with the meat from foreign countries.

The figures for the last quarter of 1913 show that the beef importations for October and November of that year were greater than for all the months preceding. Much publicity was given to the importation of Argentine beef immediately following the enactment of the tariff law, but these figures reveal that the sources of supply are many. About half the entire supply of beef imported from foreign places came from England, though, of course, much of this was from some other foreign part and came here through English agencies. With the increased demand for the foreign product, which in all cases sold at a less price than American beef, far more will come direct from the producing country.

Another matter for surprise is the

great amount of Canadian beef that has come in since the tariff law went into effect. During the month of November, Canada sent nearly 2,000,000 pounds to Chicago, half a million pounds to New York and quarter of a million to Boston. Undoubtedly the importers are only waiting for public patronage before availing of the new tariff more fully in the matter of foreign beef importation, and if the foreign product finds favor here, the result ought to be a reduction in the prices of native meats. For years the tendency has been upward and it is time that there should be a move in the other direction.

STATE AND TUBERCULOSIS

The state board of health and the legislature are confronted strikingly with the need of greater care of tuberculosis patients in this state in accordance with the steps taken by New York, Pennsylvania and many other states, and most of our health regulations are framed with this need in mind. There is a growing feeling, however, that the state, whether acting through its board of health, its legislature, or both, has not been specific enough, and the apathy with which the contagious hospital matter has been received by most communities. In face of a heavy penalty, in proof of the fact that there is a general misunderstanding of what the policy of Massachusetts is.

That there is general misunderstanding of the matter is evidenced from the reports of measures which are to be considered by the legislature among which are several relating to the care of tuberculosis. One of them calls for an annual appropriation of \$500,000 for the construction of hospitals and dispensaries. These are to be under state control and located where the need is greatest. This would entail their erection near large cities and as the contagious hospital stipulation commands municipal hospitals at such places, there is evidence of confusion and danger of duplication of effort.

The defense made by the cities that have done nothing towards the erection of the contagious hospital was that the aims of the state are too vague. There has been considerable talk here concerning the advisability of making segregation of consumptives compulsory as it is in New Jersey, Minnesota and other states, but whether this would follow the erection of a contagious hospital or not is problematical. The state is gradually taking over full charge of tuberculosis, following the example of many progressive states, but the general public is sadly at sea as to what is intended. The legislature and state board of health should decide on some definite policy and announce it to the public.

ANOTHER DISSOLUTION

People of this part of the country may recall the agreement for dissolution of the New Haven combination a triumph for the government with a greater understanding of what is involved than in the case of the telegraph and telephone companies under President Vail or the financial combination under Mr. J. P. Morgan. After a long period of confusion and distress a cautious policy has been abandoned with all the publicity that official agreements with the administration involves. The work is half done. What now remains is the other and more important half of again building up what has been taken apart. Time may yet show that the New Haven, Boston and Maine and Maine Central roads might have worked well under one head was public opinion more patient, but the future of all three roads demands that they now be run separately and efficiently. Public opinion having swung most of the work of Mr. Mellen ought to set itself now to the urgent work of construction. Destruction has gone far enough—if not too far.

TO PAY COLOMBIA

The United States has never been able to quite explain its action in getting hold of the republic of Panama despite the claims and complaints of Colombia, whose territory it was previously. It was highly expedient that the canal should be built and

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expediency was made the dominant consideration regardless of higher ideals. The result has justified the move as a business matter but little or nothing has been done to make reparation to the little republic of South America. The boast of ex-President Roosevelt concerning his share in the transaction has done much to foster hostile feelings and he was reminded of his part in the annexation of the canal zone rather unpleasantly recently after application of some highly idealistic doctrine of his in South America. It looks as though the unpleasant feelings between this country and its little sister of the south will be smoothed away to some extent soon for Colombia has proposed that a cash indemnity for the injury inflicted would be acceptable. Negotiations for some ultimate payment are now pending and when they are concluded we can point to the Panama canal all the more proudly. There should be no stain on our title to it.

THAW CONSIDERED SANE

Apart from the many technicalities of the Thaw case it has been generally felt by the public since his trial and incarceration in Matteawan, and still more since his escape from there that he is sane. It was convenient for him that alienists found enough in his life and actions to bolster up one of these strange forms of mental eccentricity that have become a tragic joke in American murder trials. On the assumption that he is sane, therefore, most people have taken his side during the long months of controversy since he escaped to Canada and was extradited to New Hampshire. Much of the strength of his position in fighting the New York authorities has come from the fact that he was considered an insane person before the law in that state and time will show whether the finding of the federal commission which has declared him sane is in his favor or the contrary. If admitted to bail he will probably strive to get away a little farther from New York than he is at present. Few will wish him returned to the living death of Matteawan.

The sad drowning in the icy waters of the Concord river calls attention to the danger of juveniles venturing on any ice except that which is sanctioned by the city. Far better that children be prevented from skating altogether than that they be allowed to go where their lives are in danger. Skating park was never in better condition for skating and it should be the aim of all citizens to see that children who skate should go there.

Now that the council has rescinded the vote of the last municipal body concerning the location of the contagious hospital on the Pillsbury site, will the members please tell us where they wish to put it?

Jokes about the advisability of letting Thaw out this weather are rather reasonable.

Where is that pair of ear-muffs?

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A Cascaret tonight will make you feel great by morning. They work while you sleep—never gripe, sicken, and cost only 10 cents a box from your druggist. Millions of men and women take a Cascaret now and then and never have headache, biliousness, coated tongue, indigestion, sour stomach or constipated bowels. Cascarets belong in every household. Children just love to take them.

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EDITORIAL COMMENT

AS EUGENICS WORKS

Lyons News: The Milwaukee Sentinel is of the opinion that "after the eugenics law may be found to contain 60 per cent. impracticability and 40 per cent. nonsense." At any rate it is very far from working well. Applicants for marriage must pass through an exhaustive physical examination. Clerks are turning away applicants who present themselves without bringing the certificates required by law, and the physicians are in their turn refusing to issue certificates.

THAW'S MOTHER

Lawrence Telegram: The one bright and unselfish figure in all the motley crowd of alienists, lawyers and harpists of both sexes that has gathered around the Thaw case has been his mother. Her unflinching devotion to an unworthy son has made the wonder all the greater how she could ever have borne such a child. The way he has turned out shows how great a part vigorous and training play in developing an individual.

GRACEFUL AND WISE

Worcester Call: If the chief justice of the United States supreme court becomes vacating during his term President Wilson would do a graceful and wise thing to appoint William H. Taft. The ex-president is abundantly able and the prospects for this honorable and important office.

FORD'S PLAN

Portland Express: The economic wisdom of Mr. Ford's profit-sharing and five dollar a day minimum wage plan remains to be proven. At the rate aspirants for positions in the Ford factory are pouring in to Detroit the city may yet have to call on its philanthropist to pay their fares back to their homes.

THE SMALL ADVERTISER

Manchester Mirror: Smaller retail merchants sometimes become discouraged by the competition in newspaper space of larger stores. They imagine that people do not read the smaller notices.

Any newspaper man can give incidents out of his personal experience showing the contrary. A man with a very small space indeed often tells his story in such a pointed, business-like, conversational way that readers turn to his little ads just as a financial operator turns to the stock market.

It does not take a gift for saying smart and sharp things to make this kind of impression. It is simply the idea of writing as you talk, saying the things in advertising that you would say to a customer if you had him before the counter.

JUSTICE TO COLOMBIA

Christian Science Monitor: The United States cannot afford to be less than fair, less than generous, less than magnanimous, to Colombia, having in mind honor and its own relation to all the nations and all the peoples of the western world. The size of the individual neighbor should never for an



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PIMPLES and blackheads disappear, unsightly complexion become clean, clear, and velvety, and hair health and beauty are promoted by the regular use of Resinol Soap and an occasional application of Resinol Ointment. These soothing, healing preparations do their work easily, quickly and at little cost, when even the most expensive cosmetics and complicated "beauty treatments" fail.

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Resinol Soap and Ointment heal eczema and other skin eruptions, stop itching instantly, and are most valuable for dandruff, eczema, boils, piles, etc. For trial size, free, write to Resinol, Dept. 10-S, Baltimore, Md.

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If you care for heavy hair, that glistens with beauty and is radiant with life; has an incomparable softness and is fluffy and lustrous, try Danderine.

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We sincerely believe, regardless of everything else advertised, that if you desire soft, lustrous, beautiful hair and lots of it—no dandruff—no itching scalp and no more falling hair—you must use Knowlton's Danderine. It eventually—why not now?

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Instantly be considered when the question involved is one of open and honest dealing. Perhaps the worst thing that could happen to the United States would be the taking of any course in this connection tending to justify a belief, too prevalent to the south, that the nation is influenced for the most part by selfishness and self-seeking; perhaps the very best thing that could happen would be the adoption of a policy which would show Central and South America, and all the world, that it neither seeks nor will take advantage of the poor or weak in the family of nations. The Colombian settlement should be one of which the people of the United States may be proud for all time.

Miner's orch., Associate Friday.

FUNERALS

BROSNAN—The funeral of John P. Brosnan took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, Thomas and Mary Driscoll Brosnan, 75 Mt. Hope street, and was largely attended by relatives and friends, including a number from out of town. There was a profusion of beautiful flowers, including pieces from the following: Family, Uncles Patrick and John, Masters Thomas, John and James Brosnan, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Lacey and family, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brosnan, Miss Bridget Bourke, John, William and Modeline Kennedy, little friends. The bearers were Masters Thomas, John and James Brosnan, Luke McCarthy, Harold Judge and Leo Whelan. At the grave, Rev. John Deegan, pastor of St. Columba's church, read the committal prayers, and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Undertakers J. P. O'Donnell & Sons.

TOWLER—The funeral of Dorothy May Fowler was held yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, Walter and Mary Fowler, 11 Mill street, and was largely attended by relatives and friends. Rev. H. S. Pinkham, pastor of the First Baptist church, officiated. Burial was in the Forest cemetery, in charge of Undertaker Higgins.

STIMPSON—Funeral services over the body of David E. Stimpson were held yesterday afternoon at his residence, 1235 Commonwealth avenue, Allston. Rev. Mr. Gil of Riverbank court, Cambridge, missionary from India, a former neighbor of the deceased, officiated. Following the services at the house, the funeral party journeyed to the Lowell cemetery where, in the family lot on Highland avenue, burial was made, the committal prayers being offered by Rev. C. A. Lincoln, pastor of the First Congregational church with which the deceased had retained his membership since removing from Lowell. Among the floral tributes was a wreath from Lowell council, No. 2, Royal Arcanum, of which order Mr. Stimpson was a past regent. Messrs. Charles F. Stott and Past Regent John S. Chandler attended as representatives of the Arcanum.

WHITELY—The funeral services of Charles Whitely were held yesterday afternoon at the rooms of Undertaker William H. Saunders in Hurd street. Rev. H. S. Pinkham, pastor of the First Baptist church, officiated. The bearers were Robert W. Proctor, Thomas Proctor and Robert Proctor. Burial took place in the family lot in the Edison cemetery.

DEATHS

THORNER—John Thorner died in Boston, aged 18 years. He was son of Mrs. L. G. Thorner, one son, Charles S. Thorner of Lowell and one daughter, Mrs. J. Perry of Somerville. The body was brought to Lowell to the rooms of Undertakers Young & Blake.

McNAMARA—Joseph H. McNamara died yesterday at his home, 18 North street, aged 32 years, nine months and 14 days. He leaves his father, John, and mother, Mr. and Mrs. James McNamara; one sister, Mrs. Mary Maroney; five brothers, Patrick, James, Matthew, William and Benjamin, and a wide circle of friends.

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Fancy Overcoats—sold for \$12, \$13.50 and \$15.00, now.....

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Chinchilla Overcoats—with shawl or notch collar, also fine Mellons, sold for \$15, now.....

10.50

Fine Chinchilla Overcoats—and Diagonal Coatings, sold for \$25.00, now.....

17.50

All of Rogers-Peel's Gaslight Overcoats—sold up to \$40.00, now.....

28.00

Remember Our Mark Down Sale of

FUR COATS

Every Fur Coat in stock—fur outside—formerly sold from \$25 to \$60, now

\$18.00 to \$45.00

CHARLES NAYLOR

Well Known Chemist Taken Ill on Car and Died in Drug Store

Charles Naylor, the well known chemist of the C. I. Hood laboratory, died suddenly last night when returning from the Lowell Textile school, where he was engaged in special work.

All his life Mr. Naylor has been a practical chemist. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Naylor. In early life he entered the store of A. W. Dows & Co., the very store, where by a strange coincidence he died last night. Here he studied the preparation of medicine and gained the knowledge that afterwards made him a valuable employee of the C. I. Hood company. About 15 years ago Mr. Naylor went into business for himself at 157 Central street in the store now occupied by Mr. Fred Howard. Here he was successful, but after a few years he sold out and entered the Hood laboratory where he was given full charge of the manufacture of the medicines and various toilet preparations. He was abroad for a brief period as representative of a foreign firm.

Mr. Naylor was a member of St. Paul's church and very much interested in all its activities. He was usually shrewd in his dealings with others and had many qualities of mind and heart that endeared him to a large circle of friends. His sudden death has shocked a great many, who regarded him as a friend.

Mr. Naylor is survived by a wife and daughter. His father, who is over 90 years of age, is a citizen of Lowell. He also leaves several brothers and sisters.

NET HIM BEFORE

Belle—Who is the box of candy from?

Beulah—I don't know. There's no card accompanying it.

Belle—I'll bet it's from Billy. He's so forgetful.

Beulah—Yes, but Billy wouldn't only forget to send a card; he's the kind of a man who would forget to send the candy.—Yonkers Statesman.

SAME COME BACK

Hicks—Is it true, then, that you're living here and your station?

Wicks—Yes—two miles.—Pahrson's Weekly.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

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The Entire Manufacturer's Stock of Garments at a Tremendous Sacrifice—Also

the 1990s, the number of people in the United States who are 65 years of age or older is projected to increase from 20 million to 30 million (U.S. Census Bureau, 1996). The number of people aged 65 and older is projected to increase from 10.5 million in 1990 to 15.5 million in 2000, and to 20.5 million in 2010 (U.S. Census Bureau, 1996). The number of people aged 65 and older is projected to increase from 10.5 million in 1990 to 15.5 million in 2000, and to 20.5 million in 2010 (U.S. Census Bureau, 1996).

MAY SAVE 120 ON LINER

"S. O. S." Calls From the Cobeguid Picked Up by Liner—U.S. Revenue Cutter Goes to Rescue

ST. JOHN, N. B., Jan. 14.—The faint purr of an "O. S." called from the missing steamer Cobeguid was picked up at several points in the Bay of Fundy, reviving the hope for the safety of the vessel and the 120 people on board.

The wireless was not sufficiently strong or continuous to give the location of the vessel, but indicated that the steamer had survived a tempestuous night and that there was a chance for those on board. The wireless cry was heard at 10 o'clock this morning.

The discovery of wreckage, apparently from some steamer on the Yarmouth side of the bay seemed to indicate from the weather conditions during the past 24 hours, that some vessel, perhaps the Cobeguid, was on the ledges of Grand Manan and that part of her upper works had been swept away.

The wind since yesterday morning has been strong from the west and northwest, which would have carried such floaters across the bay, although influenced to some extent by the direction of the tide.

The weather conditions were more favorable for the sea-going steamers today. The fog and mist which had been so persistent, but the air continued very cold, several degrees below zero, while at sunrise a 30-knot norwester was still whipping the tumbling waters of the bay. The range of observation which was only a few hundred yards yesterday, had extended to several miles today.

It was hoped that either the United States revenue cutter Woodbury or the Canadian government steamer Lady Laurier would be able to make a careful examination of the Grand Manan ledges, although it was realized that such a search would have to be conducted from a distance of a mile or two.

The United States treasury department yesterday ordered the revenue cutter Woodbury to the scene of the supposed tragedy.

Lieut. Ridgely in command of the Woodbury is an experienced officer in handling distressed vessels, having been on the New England coast for several years in the revenue cutter service. Few mariners in this vicinity were expecting anything more by wireless from the Cobeguid after her last message at 9:30 a. m. Yesterday when she reported that the batteries for the wireless were failing. Little hope was held for much communication.

Reprinted "S. O. S." Calls

There was therefore a decided re-

versal of feeling today when the Canadian Northern liner Royal George reported that the "S. O. S." call from the Cobeguid had been picked up at ten o'clock.

The report of the Royal George was subsequently confirmed by the wireless operator on the Lady Laurier at that time not far from Bristol Island on which the Cobeguid was first thought to have struck. Every effort to obtain something more definite from the Cobeguid particularly as to her location had not been successful up to 11 o'clock but it is confidently expected that either the Woodbury or the Lady Laurier would sight her before noon.

It was first thought that the first-class passengers were confined to five persons, who boarded the boat in the West Indies, but later it was learned that several came on board at Bermuda. So far as known, the following are the first class passengers on board:

First Class Passengers
L. S. Navarro, L. Bolla, W. C. Zoller, Mrs. Zoller and child, W. C. Kenny, Capt. Hicks, a director of and marine superintendent of the Royal Mail Steamer Packet Co., the charterers of the Cobeguid, Wallace Gallant, Miss Marguerite and Miss Dorothy James, daughters of the late H. H. James, mayor of St. George, Bermuda; Sister Raphaela of the Sisters of Charity of this city and for two years in a convent at Wellesley, Mass., and another sister of charity.

It was believed the Cobeguid had also on board a dozen second class passengers in addition to the 102 men who composed her officers and crew. During the forenoon several shore stations about the bay reported that wireless calls, presumably from the Cobeguid could be heard and that the Lady Laurier, then off Larcher Light, 20 miles south of Bristol Island, could be heard asking the Cobeguid for her location.

The agents of the line arranged to send the tug Springfield from this port and the mail steamer Grand Manan, which left here yesterday for Eastport, was also requested to aid in the search for the steamer.

The failure of the cable communication with Grand Manan hampered the receipt of news from that point but it was expected that the mail steamer which started for the island today would return with some information tomorrow. This steamer will be the first boat to reach the island since the stern began on Monday.

The officers of the Cobeguid are:

Captain, J. Howson; chief officer, F. W. Kirby; second officer, W. E. Bullitt; third officer, L. L. Powell; purser, R.

Houghton, surgeon, W. H. Lister; chief engineer, D. H. Douglas; second engineer, W. Wells; third engineer, A. Foster; fourth engineer, G. Long; fifth engineer, B. H. Gladwin; wireless operators, J. W. Hiltcher, and T. C. Shrimpton; chief steward, G. C. Porter. The steamer has a wireless range of 600 miles.

LOWELL HIGH SCHOOL

SENIOR CLASS HELD MEETING AND ELECTED OFFICERS—CHAS. O'DONNELL PRESIDENT

The senior class of the Lowell high school held a meeting during drill hour today for the purpose of electing class officers. Considerable interest was shown in the election and the students had little idea as to the winners until the results were made public, shortly after 12 o'clock.

Charles O'Donnell was elected president over Raymond Ireland by a vote of 146 to 68. The contest for first vice-president was close but when the final vote was counted it was seen that Gerald Duval polled 111 votes against an even 100 for Herbert H. Taylor. Kathryn Mahavan was easily elected second vice-president, the vote being 129 to 74. The officer of secretary was won by Alice Danahue, she receiving 127 and her opponent, Pauline Marshall, getting 84.

John "Jack" Cullen, famous in school athletics, was the lone candidate for treasurer and after the tellers finished counting the ballots he was credited with 201 votes. The only other officer to be prominent in athletics is Gerald Duval, who played on the football eleven and was also a member of last year's track team.

DRIVEN OUT BY FIRE

MAN AND WIFE, BOTH OVER 80, AND FOUR OTHER FAMILIES SUFFER

WESTBROOK, Me., Jan. 14.—Jean Baptiste Gaudreau and his wife, both over 80 years old, tottered into the street in a temperature of 10 below zero early today, together with four families in which there were 23 children when a tenement house was burned. None of them was warmly dressed and the last had barely left the building when it burst into flames. The loss was not over \$5000.

DEATHS

HINCKLEY—Marion Helen Hinckley, aged six months, daughter of Chas. W. died this morning at the home of her father, 74 Walker street. She leaves besides her father, four brothers, Daniel, William, Raymond and John and three sisters, Jennie, Dorothy and Edna.

McCUSKER—Mrs. Hannah McCusker died today at her home, 324 Central street. She is survived by her husband, Peter, a son, John Irvine and a daughter, Mary C. McCusker. Deceased was a well known member of St. Peter's parish.

TAX LEGISLATION

Renewed in Report Presented by Commissioner Davies

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—Tax legislation throughout the United States during 1912 is reviewed in a final report on taxation of corporations presented to President Wilson yesterday by Commissioner Davies of the bureau of corporations. One of the striking features of legislation reviewed by New York's secured debts law of 1911. The Wisconsin income tax law of 1911 is considered the most important tax legislation in the Eastern Central and Western Central states.

Other noteworthy features are the decided trend toward greater centralization of the administration of tax laws and the classification of property for taxation purposes. The report, "Wisconsin is a leading example of the one and Rhode Island of the other. Wisconsin, by its income tax law, centralized its administration of assessments and successfully reached intangible property without employing the classification method. Rhode Island adopted the classification method under which selected classes are separated from the general property of the state, and each real class is taxed at a rate which differs from the general property tax rate.

Legislation with respect to the estates of non-resident decedents is also mentioned. By reason of the lack of uniformity of state laws, such estates are sometimes subject to taxation three, and even four times. Massachusetts, however, has recognized the principle of taxing such property but once, namely, by taxing the real estate only. Personal property is taxed since such property usually passes in accordance with the law of the jurisdiction where the decedent was domiciled. New York, in addition to taxing real estate, taxes chattels located in New York, and Wisconsin has passed inheritance-tax legislation looking toward a complete physical status basis for taxation.

GREEK NEW YEAR

Local Sons of Athens Observe Feast Day—Services in Church

The Greeks are today observing their New Year's, and although there is no formal celebration, many who are employed in the mills remained away from their work this morning and celebrated among themselves.

The observance opened with a high mass at the Greek church in Jefferson street this morning. The officiating clergyman being the pastor, Rev. Fr. Panagopoulos. The congregation was very large and at the close of the service the pastor addressed his flock and extended his best wishes for a happy and prosperous year.

New Year is a great day among the sons of Athens, for upon this day they forget all grievances and make peace with their enemies, if any they have. It is a custom among these people to go from house to house and exchange greetings and today is no exception to the rule.

The busiest places, however, were the coffee houses, where groups of men gathered, drank the drink of peace and enjoyed their favorite games. It was a day of rejoicing and everybody wore a pleasing smile. This evening informal receptions and family gatherings will be held.

Minor's new novelties, Asso, Friday.

COLDEST IN 15 YEARS

THAT'S THE REPORT FROM NEW YORK—SEVEN DEATHS FROM COLD

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—From five below zero at 9 a. m., the lowest temperature recorded here in 15 years, the mercury climbed slowly upward in New York and vicinity today, reaching six above, an hour before noon. The backbone of the cold spell appeared to be snapped. The death list in the greater city due to the cold was estimated at seven.

WARMER WEATHER PROMISED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—The cold wave, after a two days' visit east, is making its way over the Allegheny mountains today with a milder freezing blast over the middle Atlantic states and New England but to the westward temperatures were rising steadily and in some places were again above the reasonable average.

The last of the bitter cold of the present snap is predicted for the east tonight and Thursday the mercury is expected to rise all along the line with fair skies everywhere except in the lake region, where snows are probable. Light frost was felt again last night over northern and central Florida. General rains and snows have set in on the Pacific coast but elsewhere the weather is pleasant and steadily growing warmer.

COLDEST IN BROCKTON HISTORY

BROCKTON, Jan. 14.—Experiencing the coldest weather in the history of the Brockton weather bureau since it was established in 1895 with an official minimum of nine below and unofficial records varying from 10 to 16 below, this city suffered from the intense cold today.

Street cars were delayed from one-half to one hour.

GRANTED LICENSES

The license board granted the following minor licenses last night at a short meeting: Auctioneer, Thomas H. Kelley, 70 Rolle street; Joseph H. Bruce, Myrtle street; E. Gaston Campbell, 323 Hill-dreth building. Hawker and peddler, Charles Kelly, 5-6 Dutton street; Emma White, 11 Riverside street. Second-hand clothing, N. E. Penbody, 2 John street; common victualler, Charles Chopley, transferred from 32 Lewis street to 493 Market street.

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You are reading a plain, straightforward statement of facts about a value-giving, money-saving event which has no parallel in Lowell, and which should appeal to your appreciation of quality as to your sense of economy.

\$25 ARABIAN LAMB COATS..... \$12

800 COATS—\$20 to \$25 values. Choice \$8.50

\$10 COATS—All lined..... \$3.98

Others at..... \$4.98, \$6.50, \$10.00

COST OF MATERIAL

150 SUITS—At..... \$6.98

10 VELVET SUITS—\$35 Values..... \$18

SEE OUR SUITS—

\$8.98, \$10, \$12.50

Sizes to 55.

Fur Coats

165 COATS AT PRICE OF SKINS—SEE THEM

Fur Sets

\$6.98, \$8.50, \$10, \$12, \$14.50

One-Half of Former Prices

Muffs at... \$1.98, \$2.98, \$4.75

Scarfs at... \$2.00, \$3.50, \$4.50

Our Furs Are Guaranteed.

NEW SERGE DRESSES—All... \$4.98

SEE OUR LINE OF

Evening and Party Dresses

AT INVITING PRICES

Waists

50 DOZ. NEW TAILORED WAISTS—\$1.00 and \$1.50 Values—Special 49c

\$1.00 FLANNELETTE WAISTS—Ask to See Them..... 49c

CORSETS at Reduced Prices

Come Today, or Any Day at Your Convenience, and See If We Practice What We Preach

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THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

TOMORROW
—STARTS OUR—
Annual Clearance
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—OF—

LADIES' WAISTS

MARKED 1-3 TO 1-2 OFF

We have reduced all waists from 1-3 to 1-2 for this annual waist sale. Waists of Voile, Lawn, Madras, Messaline, Chiffon, Net and Tub Silk.

98c and \$1.50 WAISTS, 69c
Marked to.....

\$1.98 WAISTS, Marked 98c
to.....

\$2.50, \$2.98 WAISTS, \$1.49
Marked to.....

SILK WAISTS

\$5.00 SILK WAISTS. \$3.98
Marked to.....

\$7.50 SILK WAISTS. \$5.00
Marked to.....

\$10 SILK WAISTS. \$7.50
Marked to.....

See Window Display.

CLOAK DEPT.

SECOND FLOOR

CITY COUNCIL

Continued

there wasn't anything more to the referendum because of the action of the council in voting to rescind and repeal the vote of the council for 1913 in connection with the purchase of the Dr. Pillsbury estate, but he wanted to show, he said, that he could furnish the requisite number of names.

Many Calls For Aid

Calls for assistance have increased nearly ten-fold at the office of the board of charities at city hall since the setting in of the cold snap and the cold weather came so suddenly that there was more or less suffering in certain quarters. The demand for fuel within the last 48 hours has been enormous. A majority of the houses where the poor are sheltered are without coal and it is necessary, in a majority of cases, to keep fires going night and day. The demand for food, too, has shown a big increase within the last few weeks. It was stated today that there are a great many people idle in Lowell at the present time and when the breadwinner loses the charity board must get busy.

Report on Cemeteries

The annual report of Thomas Duckworth, superintendent of cemeteries, has been submitted to the municipal government.

The number of lots cared for during the year was 2085 and of that number 732 received perpetual care. One hundred and forty lots were graded; 364 graves filled; interments during year, 597; lots sold, 62; graves lined, 88; entombments in chapel services, 27; total number of lots sold in West-lawn, 310; total burials in Westlawn, 445.

The receipts from the sale of lots, care and repair of lots, interments, etc., amounted to \$11,344.06; the interest of perpetual care funds, \$6156.37, making a total revenue of \$17,500.43. The expenditures, including payroll and other expenses amounted to \$10,776.50, leaving a balance on hand of \$6,723.93.

Mr. Duckworth, referring to the Edson cemetery, says: "We are trying to improve the general appearance by getting old, abandoned lots for which deeds have never been given. Improvements have been made in the old single grave sections also in other parts which will add much to the beauty of the cemetery. The single grave section is filled and there can be no more burials there. We are enlarging the workshop and building a new shed, which were much needed. The cost will be approximately \$500. Of this amount \$625 has been paid from the revenue of the year 1913."

In Westlawn, improvements are going on all the time. Four hundred feet of main water pipe, with standpipe have been laid. A single grave section, providing for some 500 burials has been prepared and opened for sale of lots.

In the "Old English" School street and Pawtucketville cemeteries, the

necessary work has been done to keep them clean and inviting at all times."

Their Papers Examined

Up to the noon hour today about 140 persons receiving state and military aid had had their papers examined by State Inspector Stone at the office of the state aid department at city hall. These papers are examined by the state examiners every other year and Mr. Stone and his assistant, Miss Bailey, will remain here until tomorrow night. By that time all of the papers will have been examined.

The Mahan Hearing

The hearing in the case of Patrolman John M. Mahan, who was recently suspended by Mayor Murphy, will be held in the office of the superintendent of police this evening. The mayor has appointed a trial board consisting of Capt. Atkinson and Sergeants Duncan and Maguire to hear the case and to render a finding to the mayor.

Engines Going All Night

The heart, the throbbing machine of the automobile, better known as the engine, was working overtime in the fire department last night. The engines in all of the automobiles connected with the department were kept going all night. Allowing the engine to run continuously takes a whole lot out of a machine. With the engine running and the machine standing still the rack is much greater than if the machine was in motion. At least that's what the wise guys say. Chief Saunders, however, appears to be on the job every minute and he kept the engines running because he didn't want to take any chances on the "throbbing" freezing.

Children Went Home

The school attendance was much smaller yesterday than usual and Jack Frost was responsible for the vacant seats. The weather was too cold for comfort and in one or two instances schools closed early. The Grand Street school is closed today not because of the cold but of trouble with the gas. There's a leak somewhere and the Gas company is looking for it. Yesterday, however, was not the first time that schools in Lowell closed on account of the cold weather. That has happened several times. Some of the schools are very cold, the Bartlett school is a case in point. It is a little left for instance. But, undoubtedly, there are some cities where the "no school" bell rings on cold mornings.

Industrial Accident Board

The industrial accident board will give a hearing in the councilmanic chamber at city hall, Jan. 23, at 10:30 a. m. The city messenger has received notice to that effect and the chamber will be at their disposal when they arrive.

Don't forget that The Sun issues a noon edition containing all the latest local and telegraphic news.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

JACK JOHNSON TO FIGHT

SIGNED ARTICLES TODAY FOR TWENTY-ROUND BOUT WITH FRANK MORAN

PARIS, Jan. 14.—Jack Johnson, the colored heavyweight pugilist, and Frank Moran, the Pittsburgh heavyweight, today signed articles for a 20-round boxing bout for the championship of the world to be fought on or before the day of the Paris Grand Prix race during the first or second week of June this year.

Johnson was handed a check for \$25,000 by Charles MacCarthy, representing a group of American sporting men while Moran was guaranteed \$5000.

The fight is to take place in Paris. The articles were signed after a long discussion of terms. Johnson raised numerous objections, one of which was his demand to be paid interest on the amount of the check which is not payable until the day of the fight.

Johnson agreed not to fight before and after the day of the fight and to forfeit the \$25,000 falls to fight he is to forfeit the \$25,000 except \$5000 for his training expenses.

Think Moran Will Win

The signatures to the articles were finally advised in the presence of many managers, promoters, boxing men and other sportsmen and Johnson and Moran then drank each other's health in goblets of champagne.

Charles MacCarthy intimates that the group he represented is actuated by the desire to see the heavyweight championship of the world taken by a white man. The group consists of three American millionaires residing in Paris and does not include William Astor Chanler. The promoters are convinced that Moran will win.

WILLIAM F. SULLIVAN

Former Lowell Man to Be Toastmaster at Fourth Degree, K. of C. Banquet Next Week

Arrangements have been practically completed for the grand banquet and ladies' night of the fourth degree assembly, Knights of Columbus on next Tuesday evening, Jan. 20th, and it will be a brilliant affair. The toastmaster at the post-prandial exercises following the dinner will be William F. Sullivan, superintendent of the Penichuck Water Works of Nashua, and a former Lowell man. Supt. Sullivan was grand knight of Lowell council, K. of C., about nine years ago and his ability as a toastmaster and presiding officer is well known. The principal speakers will be Hon. Thomas A. Mullen of Boston, an able member of the Suffolk county bar. The committee will hold its final meeting tomorrow evening.

LAW FOR ABSENT VOTING

Bill Would Permit Man to Vote Anywhere in the State—Involves Picture and Signature

BOSTON, Jan. 14.—A bill filed yesterday at the state house would permit a man to vote anywhere in the state upon presentation of a certificate bearing his portrait and autograph.

The bill is intended to encourage the man living in ward 8 to vote in Springfield if he happens to be there the day of a state election. But he couldn't vote in Chicago or New York because the registrars of voters in those cities might not want to take the trouble to handle Massachusetts election returns.

The bill is upon the petition of Frank B. Romans of Hyde Park. The name of the voter is to be taken from the regular voting list. He then furnishes his picture and autograph to the election board and is provided with the certificate.

If he changes his personal appearance by shaving his mustache or raising one, if he is able to do so, or by having his hair cut or letting it grow long, or by doing it up in curl papers when it should be straight, he must get a new certificate with a new picture, for if he tries to vote when he doesn't resemble the picture on his certificate, he will have to go to jail for one year.

If he should visit half a dozen cities in a day and vote in every city he is to get one year in jail.

This bill is the election sensation of the day on Beacon Hill. Most other business was slow, owing to the city election.

Foss Creates New Party

Barnes Governor Eugene N. Foss has again created a political party by having his name on the ballot as an independent at the state election. This means that the governor by getting 20,000 votes polled at least 3 per cent of the total vote cast for governor. The first year he can be elected the democratic progressive party. This year it is the independent party.

The governor's independent party is entitled to hold primaries like other parties, and anybody may seek its nomination. The democratic progressive party died because of the ruling of the attorney-general that it should have a party organization, which it did not have.

Several amendments to the child labor law and the workmen's compensation act were presented yesterday. The labor organizations sent up their bills providing that the insurance companies shall pay all hospital and medical bills during incapacity. Another bill provides that compensation shall start from the time of injury if the injury makes the workman sick more than one week.

The officers of the New Bedford Textile council want a new basket bill providing that boxes, baskets and other receptacles which have contents making them weigh 100 pounds or more shall be provided with moving devices, if the receptacles are to be handled by women.

Several amendments are proposed to the child labor act. The principal one provides that the state board of labor and industry appoint physicians to make a physical examination of minors between 14 and 18.

There is a six-day and 54-hour bill for minors under 16. This bill also prohibits work for more than 10 hours

a day, or before 6:30 a. m. or after 6 p. m.

Another bill provides that no minor between 14 and 15 may enter an employment unless a physician of the board certifies that he should do so.

Governor Walsh, as president of the state board of agriculture, yesterday insisted that the young men who go to the Massachusetts Agricultural college should not forget the name of their college, and the fact that the state educates them for agriculture to be taught and practiced by them in Massachusetts.

He urged that the various agricultural boards such as the state board, the fish and game commission and the department of forestry pull more closely together.

He suggested that they form a board for the reorganization of the agricultural laws of the commonwealth.

SUPT. OF STREETS

For Marlboro Resigned After Suspension and Sustention

MARLBORO, Jan. 14.—Louis N. Richer sprang a big surprise at the meeting of the board of aldermen last evening by resigning as superintendent of streets.

The aldermen by a strict party vote of four republicans to three democrats, had just sustained him in his position, notwithstanding his suspension by Mayor O'Halloran, and his retirement was wholly unexpected.

Mr. Richer thanked the aldermen who had supported him and the citizens in general for their fair treatment, but said he had been offered a better position which he had decided to accept.

Supt. Richer has been a bone of contention in Marlboro politics since 1907, when he was appointed by Mayor Parsons. At every municipal election since he has figured largely in the canvass.

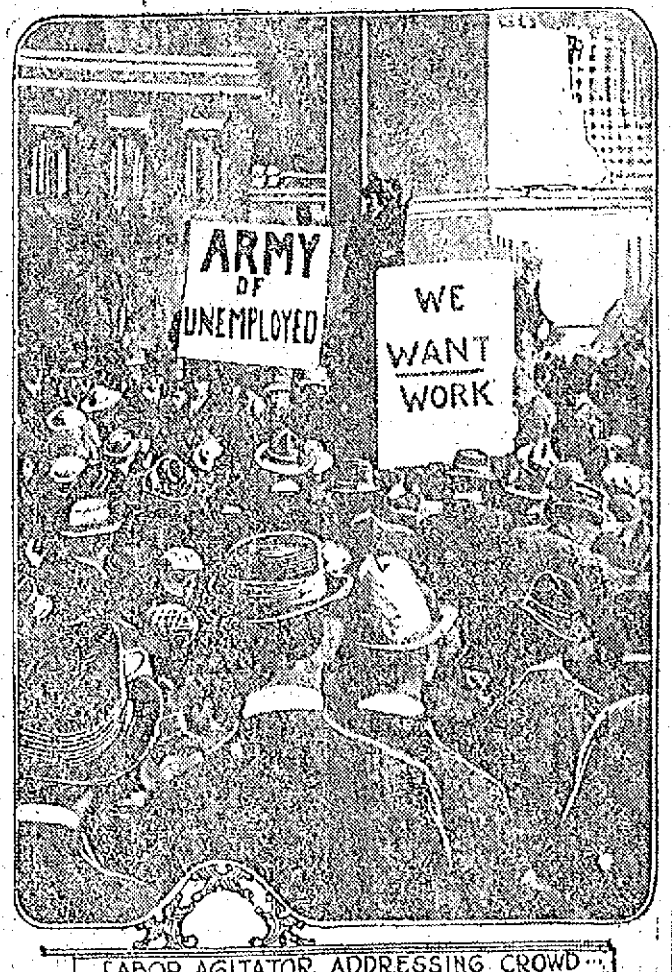
Mayor Gleason suspended him last year, but the board of aldermen did not sustain the mayor. Upon taking office this year Mayor O'Halloran also suspended him, but was not supported by the aldermen.

NEARLY RUN OVER

A man who seemed to be under the influence of liquor had a narrow escape from serious injury this noon, when he attempted to board an electric car at the corner of Appleton and Gorham streets.

He did not wait for the car to stop but got hold of the hand grip of the car. He made an attempt to climb aboard, but he lost his balance and dropped to the ground. The motor-man brought his car to a full stop and immediately the man got up on his feet and this time managed to get on. He was not seriously hurt.

MEETING OF UNEMPLOYED MEN IN FRISCO; 100,000 OUT OF WORK



SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—It is estimated that almost 100,000 men are out of employment here, and the city is in more straits to solve the problem, their utmost capacity.

of taking care of them and their families. Labor agitators have addressed crowds of the would-be laborers. All charitable institutions are taxed to their utmost capacity.

A LITTLE NONSENSE



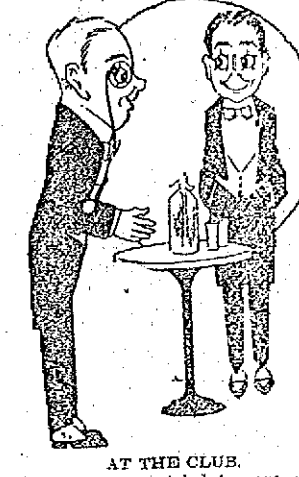
THESE DAYS.

First Housewife—I'm going to buy dozen eggs.
Second Housewife—Who is your proker?



A RARA AVIS.

"Mark the perfect man,"
"You'd better mark him, when you find him, so that you will know him when you see him again."



AT THE CLUB.

I suppose you tried to save every penny when you started in business. I did more than that. I rescued a lot that other people were squandering.



BETWEEN THE ACTS.

I am going out to see a man. What, again?
Yes, you—
But aren't you afraid of eye-strain?



THE TIP THAT NEVER CAME.

"Don't forget the waiter, sir."
"I don't think I'm likely to; you are the worst that ever happened."



THEN THERE'D BE NONE LEFT.

Author—I have put a good deal of my own life into this story.
Editor—I wish you had put all of it into it.

THE CITY COUNCIL CALLS FOR HELP

Special Meeting to Take Action on Proposition to Borrow \$300,000 Beyond the Debt Limit—Other City Hall News

Mayor Dennis J. Murphy has called another special meeting of the municipal council. The meeting will be held late this afternoon and is called for the purpose of taking definite action on the proposition to borrow \$300,000 beyond the debt limit for the purpose of relieving the temporary loan situation.

The bill to be presented to the legislature on Saturday next has been drafted and will be discussed in its entirety at the special meeting. The bill, it is understood, will have the support of Chief Gettemy of the state board of statistics. It is understood, too, that this bill will receive the support of the

Lowell delegation at the state house. A similar bill was presented by the government for 1912-13, but it was opposed in the legislature by Representatives Jewett and Achin of this city. It seems, however, that these gentlemen have changed their minds and will assist in promoting the bill to be introduced on Saturday.

Street Department Closed
There is nothing doing in the street department at the present time. The department closed down yesterday on account of the cold weather and will remain closed until tomorrow morning. Commissioner Morse rather anticipates a snow storm because of the very cold snap and he wants to get as much ice off the streets as possible.

before the snow comes. Mr. Morse says that his plans for the year, so far as help is concerned, are more or less in the abstract but he expects to have them concretized or smoothed paved in a little while and when he does he will tell us all about it.

More Names Filed
Albert S. Howard was a caller at the office of the city clerk this forenoon and he was laden with names. The referendum papers were before the municipal council yesterday and were sent back to the city clerk's office because of an insufficiency of names. Mr. Howard arrived at the clerk's office this morning with about 800 more names in his inside pocket. He allowed that

B. & M. DROPS PLAN

Will Not Exchange Maine Central Stock in Treasury For Maine Central Bonds

BOSTON, Jan. 14.—The plan devised by the Boston & Maine to place the road on a solid financial basis and avoid a receivership, by exchanging Maine Central stock in the company's treasury for Maine Central bonds, was abandoned yesterday when it was discovered that there was a serious question whether the Maine Central had legal authority to issue such bonds. The proposition was withdrawn in a statement issued by Morris McDonald, president of both companies.

Alternate Plan
A special meeting of the Boston & Maine executive committee was called yesterday, to discuss the crisis in which the failure of the plan again places the Boston & Maine. It is understood that although the plan has been abandoned, the directors are hopeful of devising an alternative plan to save the road from the threatened receivership.

The failure of the plan was announced late yesterday afternoon, but news of it leaked out early enough to cause a three point drop in Boston & Maine stock during the last half hour of the stock exchange.

SCHOOLS CLOSED BY COLD
PROVIDENCE, R. I., Jan. 14.—The schools of the city were closed today and the children sent home because of the inability to heat buildings. The temperature was minus several degrees throughout the state. Hope valley was the coldest spot, with a record of 18 below.

\$200,000 LOSS BY FIRE
ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 14.—Fire of unknown origin early today did nearly \$200,000 damage in Atlanta's warehouse district.

RITCHIE—MURPHY MATCH
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—The Willie Ritchie-Harlem Tommy Murphy lightweight championship match scheduled for Jan. 23 in this city was postponed until Jan. 30 at the request of the champion because of a strained heel tendon. It was explained that Ritchie sprained the tendon on one of his road workouts.

TERRIBLE SCENES STILL MISSING

During Eruptions and Tidal Wave—Columns of Water and Flames

NAGASAKI, Japan, Jan. 14.—A vivid description of the awe-inspiring scene on the island of Sakura during the eruption and tidal wave of Monday was given today by the captain of a Japanese steamer which has arrived here from Kagoshima.

The captain, who assisted to rescue 300 persons, says it was perilous to approach the land as columns of water burst up from the gulf, while on the land pillars of fire arose into the air from the acres of blazing sugar cane. At the same time people and cattle ran pell mell toward the beach in a wild effort to escape.

The steamers in the gulf lowered lifeboats to pick up the hundreds of people who were drifting helplessly on life-rafts or swimming while holding planks and pieces of timber, all uttering piteous cries.

Hundreds stood along the shore, unable to find means of escape.

No Trace of Schooner Greta, Which Disappeared on Monday

HYANNIS, Jan. 14.—Twenty-four hours' search of Nantucket sound by the revenue cutter Aushnet and two lighthouse tenders failed to reveal any trace of the schooner Greta of Dabousie, N. B., which disappeared from near Cross Rip lightship during the gale on Monday night. It was believed today that the Greta had either been swept far out to sea or had foundered with Capt. Berryman of St. John and his five seamen. The Greta anchored here on Saturday and started to resume her voyage from New York to St. John on Monday. The increasing gale compelled her to anchor two miles to the eastward of Cross Rip, near Half Moon shoal and while there two tugs offered to tow her to Vineyard Haven. Capt. Berryman declined, but asked that a cutter be sent to his aid.

COUNT YUKYO ITO DEAD

FLEET ADMIRAL OF THE JAPANESE NAVY DIED TODAY—71 YEARS OLD

TOKIO, Jan. 14.—Count Yukyo Ito, fleet admiral of the Japanese navy, died today in his seventy-first year. He entered the service in 1868 and studied for a considerable time in the United States. In the war between China and Japan in 1894 he commanded the combined squadrons of the Japanese in the battle of the Yellow sea. During the Russo-Japanese war he acted as chief of the navy general staff.

Count Ito was born at Kagoshima, had devastated by the volcanic eruption, earthquake and tidal wave.

FELL FROM TRAIN

Attorney Guy Ham Met With Serious Accident in Boston Last Monday Evening

BOSTON, Jan. 14.—Further proceedings in the case of Captain John A. Fish of New York, who has been on trial in the United States district court for the past two weeks charged with burning his yacht for the insurance money, were postponed for one week by Judge Hale yesterday, owing to the inability of Attorney Guy A. Ham, counsel for the defense, to attend.

Attorney Ham, while on his way home from a political rally Monday night, fell as he was leaving the train at the Mattapan station, sustaining painful injuries about the head and face. Three teeth were knocked out and his left knee was badly sprained.

He was in bed all day yesterday, under the care of Dr. Arthur Davidson. Mr. Ham is unable to explain the accident, but thinks that the high wind caught him as he left the train and caused him to lose his footing. He is expected to be able to return to work within a week.

FUNERALS

GOLDEN.—The funeral of Mrs. Bridget Golden took place this morning from her home, 4 Lagrange street. High mass of requiem was celebrated at 9 o'clock at St. Patrick's church, the officiating clergyman being Rev. Fr. Callahan. The bearers were Michael Moon, Patrick Boland, Edward Reagan, Walter Hickey, Patrick Milligan and Henry Keyes. The ushers at the house and church were John J. Finnerty, William Wood and Edward F. Quinn.

Among those present from out-of-town were Mr. and Mrs. Moon of Lynn, Miss Catherine Dugan and Mrs. Taft of Providence. Among the many floral offerings were pieces from the following: Family, Charles Griffin, James Melloy, M. A. Adams, Frank Gookin, Merrimack packing room, Lillian Rountrie, Vera Mulvaney, Catharine Shuehan, Susie Burns, Harriet Sullivan, Axminster weaver room, Jennie Carr, Temple club, John J. Flaherty, Henry Keyes, William D. Wood, Mrs. Quinn and family, George Teague, Mrs. J. Grehan, West Suffolk Church, Mrs. Arthur O'Neil, John J. Hanlon, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Porreault, Mr. and Mrs. William Giblin, Miss Gilligan, Mrs. Robert Gallagher and family, James J. McManon. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Callahan. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Peter H. Davey.



shows, contracted a severe cold during the summer at Newport, and it was necessary to send her to Saranac. She went to St. Luke's for examination by specialists. The Ladenburg home here is closed. Miss Ladenburg is one of the leaders of the younger set in exclusive Manhattan circles and is heirless, to millions. Her father, who was senior member of the firm of Ladenburg, Thalmann & Co., bankers, disappeared from a steamship off the Florida coast about eighteen years ago. It was generally believed that he was washed overboard.

BULGARIA PARLIAMENT DISSOLVES
SOFIA, Bulgaria, Jan. 14.—The Bulgarian parliament was dissolved today by the premier Dr. Radostoyev because the opposition refused to pass a provisional appropriation.

JOE TINKER SIGNING CONTRACT WITH GILMORE OF FEDERALS



The sensation of the winter baseball situation is the signing of Joe Tinker, the noted National league player-manager, by President Gilmore of the new Federal league, which is attempting to break into the major league game. Tinker was guaranteed \$10,000 a year for three years. Indications are that the Federals have enough millions of dollars in backing to make a success of their plans and establish a third major organization. And the ball players, the hired men of the game, they should carry.

Latest Local Items and Telegraphic News of the World

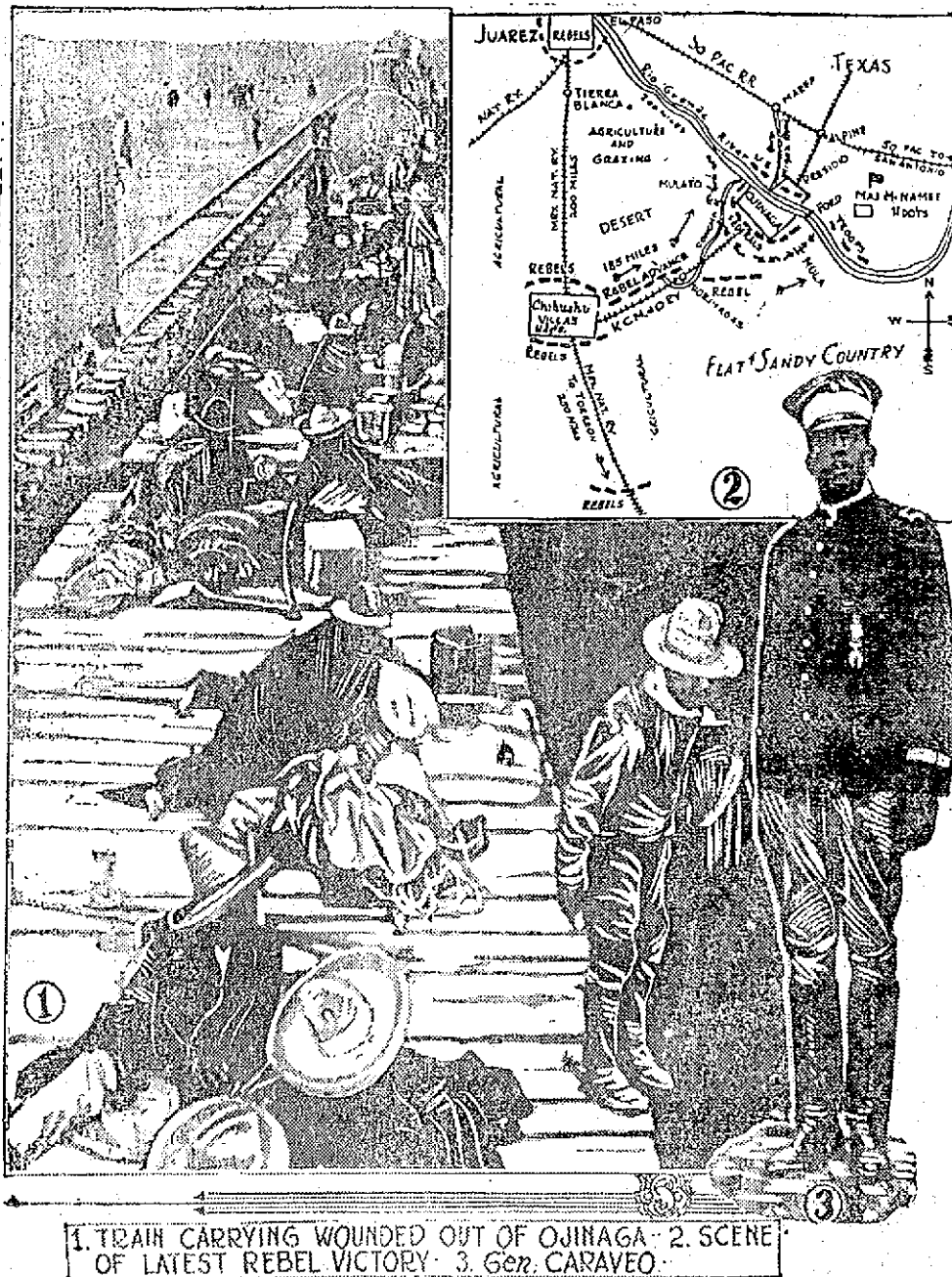
MANY BURIED UNDER LAVA

Island of Kiushiu Covered With Layer of Ashes—Hundreds Drowned—Famine in North

TOKIO, Jan. 14.—The island of Kiushiu is covered with a thick layer of ashes and many corpses whose number will probably never be known. The lava from the volcano Sakura-jima on the small island of Sakura and in the crumbling town of Kageshima, while many others were drowned in trying to escape from the scene of eruption, earthquake and tidal wave, according to official reports this afternoon.

All nature seems in revolt, for to the

WOUNDED SOLDIERS ON TRAIN, AND FEDERAL GENERAL WHO WILL BE KILLED WHEN CAUGHT



1. TRAIN CARRYING WOUNDED OUT OF OJINAGA. 2. SCENE OF LATEST REBEL VICTORY. 3. Gen. CARAYEO.

FITZSIMMONS IN COURT

Former Champion Asks to be Permitted to Reappear in the Ring at New York

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Bob Fitzsimmons, former heavyweight champion boxer of the world, appeared before the supreme court today and asked through counsel to be permitted to reappear in the ring, a privilege denied him by the state athletic commission.

"When I return to the ring in this town," said Fitz, "there will be no more footpads or tangles inside the ropes. What people want is to see some genuine boxing."

Affidavits were submitted to show that Bob is still in excellent physical trim. He is 53 years old.

Further argument will be heard on Friday.

HENRY SIEGEL FLOOR DROPPED

Head of Various Enterprises in Court at New York Today

Workman Had Narrow Escape at Laundry in Revere Street

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Henry Siegel, head of various enterprises which failed recently and Oscar Pratt, treasurer of the defunct 11th street store of this city, appeared as a witness today before the committee of the state senate which is investigating private banks. At the request of their attorneys, however, who announced that everything possible was being done to rehabilitate the business in order to pay off the depositors of the Siegel private bank, the committee consented to postpone the examination of the twain until next week.

BAD MONEY AFLOAT

NASHUA CONDUCTOR ON LOWELL LINE WAS PASSED COUNTERFEIT \$10 BILL SUNDAY

NASHUA, Jan. 14.—The flooding of counterfeit \$10 bills in Nashua and Lowell has been reported to the police, and all the conductors of the Bay State Street railway in Nashua were notified to watch sharp for them yesterday afternoon.

One of the bills was passed to conductor E. W. Bryant on the Lowell line Sunday, and in the hurry of collecting fares he noticed nothing out of the ordinary with the bill. When he came to make an account for the day's work at the office, the bill was picked from the others.

It is said the bill wears much the same appearance as a regular \$10 bill save the paper upon which it is printed is not as heavy as the government paper. The bill might be taken for a pocket worn piece of money. It is said the bill was evidently produced by photograph.

Telegraphic Brevities

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Arrived, steamer Kronprinzessin Cecilie from Bremen.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Diek Rudolph, pitcher for the Boston Nationals, announced today he had signed a two-year contract with that club.

BROOKLINE, Jan. 14.—Mrs. George E. Lee, grandmother of Mrs. Alvin Karpis, died today, aged 82. She was the widow of a Boston banker.

SCRANTON, Pa., Jan. 14.—The frozen body of Robert Phillips, prominent in coal mining circles, was found in a ditch today. The head was battered in and the circumstances pointed to murder.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 14.—Two frozen to death, one dying and a number of injuries and fires are the result of the cold wave here which continued today.

PORTLAND, Me., Jan. 14.—The revenue cutter Woodbury, while cruising in the Bay of Fundy this afternoon, was informed by a radiogram relayed by the steamer Galvin Austin that the Nova Scotia wireless station that the Coburg was ashore on Trinity ledge. The message was read at the Cape Elizabeth radio station.

SIGNS WITH FEDERALS

BALTIMORE, Jan. 14.—Frank Smith, a pitcher on the Montreal International team last season, yesterday signed a three-year contract with the Baltimore Federal league club, according to advices received here today from Philadelphia.

BODY NOT FOUND

The work of grappling for the body of Fred Tarnabed, the lad who was drowned in the Concord river Monday afternoon, was not resumed this morning as the ice was so thick in that vicinity. Detective Higgins stated this afternoon that the ice was several inches thick where the boy broke through the other day and while the cold weather continues it will be absolutely impossible to drag for the body.

FIRE IN MOODY STREET

An alarm from box 115 shortly before 4 o'clock this afternoon summoned the firemen to a building located near the corner of Austin and Moody streets where a fire had started in the partitions. The blaze started from a torch that was being used to thaw out water pipes but no damage was done. The building was owned by J. Marlon.

PRESIDIO, Tex., Jan. 14.—Confused over the sixty-seven miles of road in Marfa, Tex. The soldiers will be held indefinitely at Fort Bliss. At Marfa, the nearest railroad station, the federal army, which sought asylum in the United States after its defeat by the rebels, will be guarded by the border patrol pending final disposition by the war department. Among the civilians are 1,207 women, as officially counted by Major McNamee. They have also 1,000 federal army horses and mules. Many wounded soldiers were sent out of Ojinaga on a railroad freight train. These generals are particularly desired to be captured by General Villa, and if caught they will be executed. These men are Generals Orozco, Caraveo and Salazar.

TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK MARKET			
	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	72 1/2	71 3/4	72 1/4
Am Beet Sugar	27	26 3/4	27
Am Can	33 1/2	33 1/4	33 1/2
Am Can pf	44 1/2	44	44 1/2
Am Car & Pn	47	46 1/2	47
Am Elde & L pf	21 1/2	21 1/4	21 1/2
Am Locom	31	30 3/4	31
Am Loco pf	98	97 1/2	98
Am Smelt & R	66	65 1/2	66
Am Smelt & R pf	100	99 1/2	100
Am Sugar Refn	106 1/2	106	106 1/2
Am Soda	34 1/2	34 1/4	34 1/2
Am Soda pf	56	55 1/2	56
Atchaf	97 1/2	97	97 1/2
Atchaf pf	97 1/2	97	97 1/2
Balt & Ohio	31 1/2	31 1/4	31 1/2
Balt & Ohio pf	39 1/2	39 1/4	39 1/2
Canadian Pa	207	206 1/2	207
Cent Leather	26 1/2	26 1/4	26 1/2
Ches & Ohio	62	61 1/2	62
Ches & Ohio pf	12 1/2	12 1/4	12 1/2
Col Fuel	32 1/2	32 1/4	32 1/2
Consol Gas	131 1/2	131 1/4	131 1/2
Del & Hud	153	152 1/2	153
Del & Hud pf	350	349 1/2	350
Det & L W	17 1/2	17 1/4	17 1/2
Det Secur Co	17 1/2	17 1/4	17 1/2
Elde	29 1/2	29 1/4	29 1/2
Elde pf	45 1/2	45 1/4	45 1/2
Elde 2d pf	32 1/2	32 1/4	32 1/2
Gen Elde	114 1/2	114 1/4	114 1/2
GT North pf	127 1/2	127 1/4	127 1/2
GT North pf	37 1/2	37 1/4	37 1/2
Int St pf	15 1/2	15 1/4	15 1/2
Int St pf	62	61 1/2	62
Int Paper	8 1/2	8 1/4	8 1/2
Int Paper pf	19 1/2	19 1/4	19 1/2
Int Paper pf	26	25 1/2	26
Kan City So pf	60	59 1/2	60
Kan & Tex	21	20 1/2	21
Lehigh Valley	115 1/2	115 1/4	115 1/2
Louis & Nash	130 1/2	130 1/4	130 1/2
Missouri Pa	26 1/2	26 1/4	26 1/2
Nat Lead pf	105	104 1/2	105
N Y Central	50 1/2	50 1/4	50 1/2
N Y Central pf	10 1/2	10 1/4	10 1/2
N Y West	70 1/2	70 1/4	70 1/2
N Y West pf	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/2
North Am	110 1/2	110 1/4	110 1/2
Ont & West	27 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/2
Pennsylvania	110 1/2	110 1/4	110 1/2
Pennsylvania pf	12 1/2	12 1/4	12 1/2
Pres Steel	31 1/2	31 1/4	31 1/2
Rep St Co	28 1/2	28 1/4	28 1/2
Reading	170 1/2	170 1/4	170 1/2
Rep Iron & S	23 1/2	23 1/4	23 1/2
Rep I & S pf	15 1/2	15 1/4	15 1/2
Rock Is	22 1/2	22 1/4	22 1/2
Rock Is pf	22 1/2	22 1/4	22 1/2
St L & W	22 1/2	22 1/4	22 1/2
St L & W pf	10 1/2	10 1/4	10 1/2
St Paul	91 1/2	91 1/4	91 1/2
St Paul pf	24 1/2	24 1/4	24 1/2
Southern Ry	79 1/2	79 1/4	79 1/2
Southern Ry pf	79 1/2	79 1/4	79 1/2
Tenn Copper	34	33 1/2	34
Third Ave	15 1/2	15 1/4	15 1/2
Union Pac	84 1/2	84 1/4	84 1/2
Union Pac pf	84 1/2	84 1/4	84 1/2
U S Rub	60 1/2	60 1/4	60 1/2
U S Rub pf	102 1/2	102 1/4	102 1/2
U S Steel	61 1/2	61 1/4	61 1/2
U S Steel pf	102 1/2	102 1/4	102 1/2
U S Steel pf	50 1/2	50 1/4	50 1/2
Wab R R	9 1/2	9 1/4	9 1/2
Westinghouse	67 1/2	67 1/4	67 1/2
Western Un	59 1/2	59 1/4	59 1/2

SPECIALTIES TO FRONT			
	High	Low	Close
Algonquin	1 1/2	1 1/4	1 1/2
Arendson	1 1/2	1 1/4	1 1/2
Arizona Com	6 1/2	6 1/4	6 1/2
Cal & Arizona	1 1/2	1 1/4	1 1/2
Cal & Hecla	1 1/2	1 1/4	1 1/2
China	1 1/2	1 1/4	1 1/2
Copper Range	37	36 1/2	37
Granby	75	74 1/2	75
La Salle	15	14 1/2	15
Nevada	15	14 1/2	15
Nipissing	75	74 1/2	75
North Butte	20	19 1/2	20
Old Dominion	50	49 1/2	50
Oreoch	71	70 1/2	71
Ray Con	18 1/2	18 1/4	18 1/2
Shannon	15 1/2	15 1/4	15 1/2
Tollman	60	59 1/2	60
Utah Cons	9 1/2	9 1/4	9 1/2
Wolverine	41	40 1/2	41

BOSTON MARKET			
	High	Low	Close
Boston Elevated	90 1/2	90 1/4	90 1/2
Box & Maine	49 1/2	49 1/4	49 1/2
Fitchburg pf	80 1/2	80 1/4	80 1/2
N Y & N H	77 1/2	77 1/4	77 1/2

MISCELLANEOUS			
	High	Low	Close
Am Pneumatic	2 1/2	2 1/4	2 1/2
Mass Elec	13	12 1/2	13
Mass Elec pf	64	63 1/2	64
North Butte	18 1/2	18 1/4	18 1/2
United St M pf	56 1/2	56 1/4	56 1/2
United St M pf	25 1/2	25 1/4	25 1/2

UNLISTED SECURITIES			
	High	Low	Close
Alaska Gold	21 1/2	21 1/4	21 1/2
Am Ag Chem	53	52 1/2	53
Am Ag Chem pf	94	93 1/2	94
Am Ag Chem pf	76 1/2	76 1/4	76 1/2
Am Ag Chem pf	20	19 1/2	20
Butte & Superior	32 1/2	32 1/4	32 1/2
Lake Copper	9 1/2	9 1/4	9 1/2
Shannon	22 1/2	22 1/4	22 1/2
U S Smelting	47	46 1/2	47

BONDS			
	High	Low	Close
Am Tel & T	120 1/2	120 1/4	120 1/2
New Eng Tel	135 1/2	135 1/4	135 1/2

COTON FUTURES			
	High	Low	Close
January	12 1/2	12 1/4	12 1/2
March	12 1/2	12 1/4	12 1/2
May	12 1/2	12 1/4	12 1/2
July	12 1/2	12 1/4	12 1/2
October	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/2

FIELDER BURNS SIGNS			
	High	Low	Close
Utica, N. Y., Jan. 14.—George Burns, left fielder of the Giants, this afternoon attached his signature to a New York National contract. The Buffalo Federals had sought his services.			

DOUGHERS SIGN CONTRACTS			
	High	Low	Close
NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—President Doherty of the Brooklyn announced today that Outfielder Wheat and Pitcher Nap Rucker had agreed to sign three year contracts. The terms were not made public.			

COTTON SPOT			
	High	Low	Close
Cotton spot closed quiet. Middling uplands 12 1/2. Middling Gulf 12 1/2. No sales.			

McMANNON FIRE

Continued

Chief Saunders absolutely refused to allow his men to go to the scene of the conflagration, giving for reasons that the city could not remain without protection, and also that the trip to Brookside would be a hazardous one on the part of the members of the department on account of the dark, slippery roads. As a last appeal Mayor Murphy was called up by telephone, but after the chief magistrate had talked the matter over with the chief, he decided not to take a hand in the matter.

A call for volunteers was sent through the town and in a short time over 100 men had responded and all worked strenuously, but their efforts proved fruitless inasmuch as they were not equipped with the proper apparatus, and they had much difficulty in getting water, the only resource being the driven well and the brook running alongside of the house. It was a hopeless task to battle a fire under such conditions, but nevertheless all the men worked hard and showed great courage in their efforts to fight the flames. The housekeeper and the children, who were in the house, Mr. and Mrs. McMannon being in the city at the time, were safely removed to a neighboring dwelling, but the exit from the burning house was a hurried one, for some of the children were in bed and they were forced to rush out in their night clothes.

Shortly after 7 o'clock the housekeeper saw a sheet of flames burst from the cellar, and realized for the first time that a fire had started. She dressed the little ones, pulling them out of bed, and hurried to a neighboring house, where she saved the alarm. Mr. McMannon was notified by telephone that his property was afire and he hurried to the scene. It was then that a futile call was sent to the local department. The alarm was sent all over the town and in a short time several members of the Druce department arrived on the scene with several volunteers, armed with hand pumps and buckets. They got busy, but although they worked hard their efforts were fruitless. It is believed that had an adequate fire apparatus been on hand the barn and greenhouses could have been saved.

The barn was soon a sheet of flames and pretty soon the roof of the house fell in with a crash and a few minutes later the roof of the barn was lowered. The flames spread to the nursery and in order to check its spread a charge of dynamite was exploded near the center of the wood and glass building and with the untiring efforts of the volunteer firemen the fire was checked, but not before considerable damage had been caused to the green house and its contents. There was considerable livestock in the barn, but fortunately all were saved. The loss is estimated at about \$20,000, partly covered by insurance.

Mr. McMannon Overcome

At 1 o'clock this afternoon James McMannon collapsed at the remains of his home in Kenwood after working all night and all morning to save the remains of his greenhouse. The water tower was burned and he had to pump water into the boilers all night to keep up the heat. The dwelling is a total loss and practically all the furniture and clothing was destroyed with the building.

Great sympathy is felt for Mr. McMannon and family. The chief insurance was on his furniture and that was but a trifle. There was no insurance on the nursery which was the exception of one tier was a total loss. The suddenness of the fire and its destructive effects was a great shock to Mr. McMannon who, however, is thankful that his children escaped with their lives.

CHICAGO LIKES WOMEN COPS

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—Chicago's experiment with policewomen has proven so successful that Maj. M. L. O'Flaherty, second deputy superintendent of police yesterday announced that he will ask the city council for funds to employ more women police.

"The women police have done a wonderful amount of good," said Maj. O'Flaherty. "The 10 we have on the force have been assigned to dance halls and the curbing they have done there has been conducive of much good. We want a squad—what might be called a flitting squad—to look out for the obnoxious girls and smash up the notorious girls in moving picture theatres and in the down town district."

OBLATE FATHERS

Several Leave Lowell to Give Missions at Distant Points

The widespread popularity of the Oblate Fathers as a missionary order is evidenced by the fact that two of the priests connected with the Immaculate Conception church, this city, have been called to far distant points to conduct an extended series of missions.

Rev. P. J. Phelan, O. M. I., left Lowell yesterday for Buffalo, N. Y., where with Rev. George Nolan, O. M. I., formerly pastor of the Immaculate Conception church, he will conduct a three days' retreat for the members of the Holy Name society of the Holy Angels parish of the city. Leaving Buffalo they will proceed to London, Ont., where they will conduct a three weeks' mission at the cathedral, presided over by Rt. Rev. Bishop Fallon, O. M. I., formerly provincial of the Oblate order. Later they will conduct a series of Lenten missions in New York.

Rev. Dennis A. Sullivan, O. M. I., of the Immaculate Conception church left this morning for Buffalo, N. Y., whence in company with Rev. John J. McRory, O. M. I., formerly of this city, he will journey to the Pacific coast where they will conduct a mission at the San Francisco cathedral. Fr. Sullivan will be away three months.

WANTED FOR SHOOTING

EDWARD BEARDSLEY BARRICADED IN HIS HOUSE HOLDS SHERIFF AND POSSE AT BAY

MAYVILLE, N. Y., Jan. 11.—Edward Beardsley of Summerville, barricaded in his farmhouse and heavily armed, up to noon today had successfully defied the efforts of Sheriff Anderson and a posse of 20 men to dislodge him. Beardsley is wanted for the shooting of J. W. Putnam, overseer of the poor of Chautauque county, who went to the house yesterday on an errand of mercy and was shot twice. His condition is critical.

SURROUNDED BY REBELS

MEXICAN FEDERALS TO BE ATTACKED AT LAS VEGAS, ACCORDING TO REPORTS

EL PASO, Texas, Jan. 14.—Mexican federal troops stationed at Las Vegas, opposite Del Rio, Texas, have been surrounded by rebels and an attack is momentarily expected, according to reports today to the United States border patrol. The federal garrison is small.

TWO FAMILIES BURNED OUT

Suffering from Exposure Follows \$40,000 Loss at Monson—Fire General Store Destroyed

MONSON, Jan. 14.—Fire totally destroyed the building and general store owned by W. N. Flint & Son at midnight. The loss is \$40,000, partly covered by insurance. The building was a frame structure, two stories in height.

The families of Otto Getz and Mrs. Abbie Stobbs died to the street scantily clad and suffered from exposure. They were cared for by neighbors. All their belongings are lost. Several nearby buildings were endangered but were saved with slight damage to the exterior. The fire started near the heating plant in the basement from some unknown cause.

FUNERAL NOTICE

McNAMARA—Died, in this city, Jan. 13 at his home, 18 North street, Joseph J. McNamara, aged 32 years. Funeral will take place from his home, 18 North street, Thursday morning at 8:15 o'clock. Funeral services at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock.

LOCAL NEWS

The progressive city committee will meet tomorrow night at 8 o'clock at their rooms for the purpose of reorganizing for the ensuing year. The ward committees will be called upon for their reports and a long business session is expected.

The agency of Frank M. Hogan held the insurance on the McMannon residence, barn and contents burned last night.

Collins & Hogan held the insurance on the Harry Loures & Co. bakery, 48 Lewis street, badly damaged by fire this morning.

THE SUN CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

TO LET

SMALL, WELL EQUIPPED MACHINE shop for rent, references required. Address N. 88, Sun Office.

DOWN STAIRS 5-ROOM TENEMENT to let at 37-42 Bartlett st. Apply to W. E. Dodge, Wymann's Exchange.

THREE ROOM TENEMENT TO LET, furnished for light housekeeping, 10 Coburn st. Inquire G. Waterhouse, 10 Coburn st.

ROOM TO LET IN PRIVATE FAMILY. Apply 65 Ware st.

TWO APARTMENT HOUSE TO LET, all modern conveniences, at 151-153 Methuen st. Inquire 21 Methuen st.

TWO FOUR-ROOM FLATS TO LET, near Westford st. Apply 55 Dover st. Tel. 237-J.

FIVE ROOMS, BATH AND PANTRY to let, hot water, 42 Barclay st. \$11.50 per month. Inquire Schultz Furniture Co., 315 and 370 Middlesex st.

FLAT OF FIVE ROOMS TO LET, pantry and bath, 142 Jewett st. Apply Griffiths, Florist, 51 Bridge st.

STEAM HEATED FURNISHED ROOMS to let, bath on same floor, use of telephone. 181 East Merrimack st.

ROOM SUITABLE FOR BARBER shop or business office, to let, on second floor of the Harrington, building, 62 Central st.

MY HOUSE AND STABLE AT 239 Westworth avenue, to let. Chas. A. Eveith, Lowell, jail.

TO LET

FEBRUARY 1ST

Large store, modern, plate glass, corner Merrimack and Suffolk sts. formerly occupied by Russell Grocery Co. Stand 63 years old. McCracken's register and other fixtures for sale. Inquire Cyrus W. Russell, tel. 3376.

THE SUN IS ON SALE IN THE NORTH STATION BOSTON

TO LET

GEORGE S. BROWN, 75 CHESTNUT st. says, "Don't live where it is cold, see my warm, pleasant, all-on, one floor, 2-room tenement."

TWO LARGE FRONT ROOMS TO let over Yvonne's, suitable for Joe's rooms or club, steam heat. Apply T. F. Hennessy.

FLAT OF FIVE ROOMS TO LET, 171 Walker st. all modern improvements, steam heat. Apply Farrell & Condon, 243 Dutton st.

FIVE ROOM FLAT TO LET AT 108 Chapel st. rent reasonable. Apply Mr. Kelley, 108 Chapel st.

TWO TENEMENTS OF FIVE ROOMS each, to let at 68 and 68 Chamber st. Rent reasonable. Apply at 71 Chamber st.

ROOMS TO LET \$1 PER WEEK and up. Mrs. McMillan, 15-Hurd st.

PROF. EHRICH'S "606" SALVARSAN

Administered in the veins at Dr. Temple's Lowell office. NO LOSS OF TIME for business. NO PAIN. Local, malarial, locomotor ataxia and various forms of skin diseases arising from blood poisoning. This solves the problem of the century and rids the world of the WORST SCOURGE that the human race has known. RESULTS IMMEDIATE. Wassermann blood tests made. Also treats cancer, tumors, all acute and chronic blood and nervous diseases of men and women, hydrocele, varicocele, stricture, prostatic diseases, piles, fistula, fissures, ulcers and rectal diseases. WITHOUT THE USE OF THE KNIFE. Diseases of the eyes, ear, nose, throat, skin, stomach, liver, kidneys, bladder, bowels and rectum, epilepsy, and all nervous diseases. Terms always made to suit the convenience of anyone applying for treatment, and very reasonable charges. Do not treat elsewhere until you have investigated methods and terms. Lowell office, 37 Central street, Mansur block. Hours, Wed. 2 to 4 and 7 to 8. Sundays, 10 to 12. Examination, Advice FREE.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

SPECIAL NOTICES

CARD READING—PAST, PRESENT and future; 180 and 210. Madam Cory, 379 Bridge st., cor. Third st., room 1.

WITH ROOM ASBESTOS STOVE lining, for lining or repairing linings of ranges, furnaces and stoves, for sale at all stove dealers, 15 and 25 cent boxes.

LOUIS FOX, DEALER IN SECOND HAND FURNITURE of all kinds, bought, sold and exchanged. 155 Middlesex st.

CASH PAID FOR SECOND HAND FURNITURE of all kinds, large or small lots. T. E. Muldoon, 406 Central st.

STOVE REPAIRS, LININGS, GRATES, centers and other parts for all stoves and ranges carried in stock, work done at lowest prices. Bring name and size of stove, or telephone 4179. Quinn Furniture Co., 160 Middlesex st.

PIANOS AND ORGANS TUNED AND REPAIRED. Tuning \$1. J. Karslaw, 190 Cumberland road. Tel. 614-J.

LIMBURG CO. CHIMNEY EXPERTS—Chimneys swept and repaired. Residence 1128 Bridge st. Tel. 345-W.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—THE SUN is on sale every day at both news stands of the Union station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

WANTED

THE GOOD PEOPLE OF LOWELL, wanted to buy 14th floor Asbestos Stove Lining, 15 and 25 cent boxes, at all stove dealers.

BOARDERS WANTED AT KIRK BOOTH Chambers, board \$3.50. Two front rooms with board, \$1 per day, 67 Kirk st. Jessie Deshauiers.

ROOMERS AND BOARDERS WANTED. \$2.50 for ladies, \$3.00 for men; rooms \$1 upward, steam heat. Apply 50 Lee st.

FOR SALE

We handle the best grade of hard coal. Try a ton and you will come again. Also Lowell Gas Co. Coke. Try a chair. Maple and oak wood for fire places, mill kindling, slab and hard wood.

W. T. GRIFFIN 189 APPLETON STREET, Postal, or Phone 683

Storage For Furniture Separate room \$1 per month for regular \$2 two-horse load. Pianos 50c. The dryest, and cleanest place for storage in Lowell. Telephone connection. O. F. Prentiss, 356 Bridge st.

FOR SALE

ONE TWO-H. P. 500 ELECTRIC MOTOR, A1 condition; for sale cheap. Apply Elmer Glass, St. R. R. starter, Merrimack st.

PUPS FOR SALE. INQUIRE 4 Everett st.

AS I HAVE NOT WORK FOR ALL of my horses I must sell them, one weighs 1200, 7 years old, dapple gray mare, work single or double, \$15, not flesh; one brown horse 1100, sound, 9 years old, \$40; one horse 1075, sound, good farm chunk, could work in any kind of rigging, 12 years old, \$35; one driving horse 1020, sound, hind, used as my family horse, I will give my carriage, harness and all, \$50. I have some nice pigs and nice breeding sows, weigh from 50 to 125 each. Call Morse's Farm, Tel. Con. North Woburn, near old car barn.

UPRIGHT PIANO FOR SALE, USED very little; fine condition; must be sold for cash; will sell at bargain. 258 Fletcher st.

TWO HORSES, FOUR WAGONS, TWO sleighs, for sale. Cyrus W. Russell, formerly of Russell Grocery Co., 576 Merrimack st.

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN 13 room lodging house, modern, well located and always filled with a good class of roomers. Worth \$700. Will sell for \$350. Stylish sleigh, good as new in every respect, for only \$25. Bargains in real estate and business opportunities.

W. E. DODGE, 9 Central St.

SICK PEOPLE

TREATED BY Mechano Therapy

Are your nerves tired out and exhausted? Is your physical and mental toning down? Has overwork, worry or other causes left you weak and nervous? Is your sleep disturbed and your digestion upset? If so you will do well to consider the possibility of Mechano Therapy showing you the way back to health, vigor and vitality.

Free consultation. Sunday, 3 to 5; Thursday, 3 to 5 and 7 to 9 p. m. F. A. Magraw, M. T. D., 97 Central St., 2nd fl.

Bright, Sears & Co. WYMAN'S EXCHANGE Bankers and Brokers SECOND FLOOR

HELP WANTED

INVESTIGATE THIS NEW PARCEL post mail order opportunity (you buy \$150 and would like to build up a sideline business during your spare time. Every detail will be submitted for your inspection. P. O. Box 1218, Providence R. I.

AMBITIOUS YOUNG MEN WANTED for railway mail clerks, 18 to 35 years, \$500 per annum to start. For free particulars write A. E. Richards, Springfield, Mass.

EXPERIENCED ARCHITECTURAL draughtsman wanted. Apply in person to James T. Allen, Architect, 233 Essex st., Lawrence, Mass.

WOMEN WANTED TO MAKE aprons, 40 cents per dozen; work sent parcel post; send addressed stamped envelope for particulars. Fenway Specialty Co., 561 Washington st., Boston, Mass.

GOVERNMENT JOBS OPEN TO MEN and women. Big pay. Write for list of positions now available. Franklin Institute, Dept. 164 J, Rochester, N. Y.

SALESMAN WANTED BY WELL known manufacturer to handle high grade specialty sold to manufacturers. Exceptional opportunity for big caliber commission man with knowledge of factory systems and operations. Apply P. O. Box M, Chicago Falls, Mass.

WANTED

A few live wires to take an interest in a syndicate to develop trade in South America. Have project well under way and invite reasonable men who are not satisfied to leave their money at 4% or less to investigate. Want one man to take charge of office here. Call or write, 603 Sun bldg.

Cap Spinners and Ring Twisters wanted at once. Apply Brookside Worsted Mills, Brookside, Mass.

SITUATIONS WANTED

HOUSEWORK WANTED BY CAPABLE woman with good references. Good cook and laundress. Advise 5 Ware st.

W. A. LEW Steam dyeing and cleaning of ladies' and gents' wearing apparel. 30 years in the business. 49 JOHN STREET

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

LAWRENCE PROPERTY FOR SALE. Money making proposition. Two stores and two tenements; pay 10%; \$6000; can be bought with \$1000 down; butcher fixtures in one store; dry goods fixtures in other; on principal at \$1000 location. Write or call, Hubert M. McLachlan, office Room 411, Sun bldg.

MONEY TO LOAN

Reduce the High Cost of Living

Hundreds of the industrious working people are now taking advantage of our methods. Are you one of them? If not, why not? We are making new friends every day and holding the confidence of our customers as they can testify.

How Our Customers Are Benefitted

We enable you to take advantage of the January sales at 40 per cent. to 60 per cent. discount, thereby making a profit for yourselves. Others are doing this. Why not you?

If you will call we will gladly explain and advise you. Courteous treatment extended to all.

Merrimack Loan Co. Room 3, 81 Merrimack Street, 17 John Street. Hours: 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. Monday to Saturday until 9 p. m. Tel. Con. License No. 51.

READY CASH

SUPPLIED TO ALL BORROWERS ON PLAIN NOTE AT LOWEST POSSIBLE RATES.

\$5—Full charge....75c
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Monthly or Weekly Payments at Legal Rates of Interest

EQUITABLE LOAN CO. Offices 202 Middle Street Building 45 MERRIMACK ST. License 144. Open 8:30 a. m. to 5:30 p. m. Sat. 8:30 a. m. to 5:30 p. m. Tel. 1389.

LOST AND FOUND

HEAVY STREET BLANKET, BROWN color, lost between Rogers st. and Spaulding park. Finder will be rewarded by returning to Cameron Bros., 166 Middlesex st.

FOUNTAIN PEN LOST BETWEEN Westworth ave. and Moody st. Reward if returned to 322 Westworth ave.

BLUE SILK JAPANESE POCKETBOOK with ivory and china handle, lost Sunday morning on Andover or New-mith sts. Finder please return to 275 Andover st. Tel. 1241-W. Reward offered.

GOLD LOCKET AND CHAIN LOST on either Hale, Thorndike or Middlesex sts., Saturday afternoon, monogram N. P. S., on it. Reward at 203 Grand st.

FIVE DOLLAR BILL LOST IN MERRIMACK, about one o'clock, Monday, Jan. 12. Return to N. 89, Sun Office and receive reward.

BROWN POCKETBOOK LOST BETWEEN Stackpole st. and Fairburn's market. Name and address on bill inside. Reward at 173 Stackpole st.

WHITE BULL TERRIER LOST; female. Liberal reward for return to 563 Gorham st., Leon Mullin.

POCKETBOOK CONTAINING MONEY and Boston trip book lost in or near Nelson's dept. store. Return to address on trip book and receive reward.

GENERAL STRIKE

Causes Suspension of Entire Railroad Service of Portugal

LISBON, Portugal, Jan. 14.—The entire railroad service of Portugal was suspended today on account of the declaration of a general strike by the employees. About one-third of the railroads belong to the state.

Chipmaw, Lincoln, Fri., Jan. 16th.

PROBLEMS OF FERTILIZING

Hints in Use of Ground Phosphate Rock—Amount Per Acre and How It May Be Applied

More and more is the New England farmer realizing the value of proper care of the land and the importance of good fertilizing. Some of them are using ground phosphate rock in connection with the manure and are trying different methods of mixing it before applying to the field.

Raw phosphate rock is not a good absorbent, but if it is sprinkled in the gutters behind the cows after the manure is removed it tends to dry them, just as would any dry, powdered material. Most practical men believe that somewhere in the neighborhood of 500 to 600 pounds of the rock phosphate should be applied to every acre if the land has a fairly good supply of phosphorus; more than this can be used if the land is deficient. In the same way it has been found that the best results are obtained when from 8 to 18 tons of humus are added to the soil. Hence the adding of about 50 or 60 pounds of raw rock phosphate to the ton of manure will make the necessary combination of 500 to 600 pounds per acre.

It is always a better plan to draw the manure directly to the fields from the barn. This is the time when the manure is the most efficient, and a greater percentage of the fertility may be saved by using this method. However there are times when this method is impractical and at the same time there may be a demand for well-rotted manure. If this is the case, the manure may be placed in a concrete receptacle which may or may not be covered.

A little heat does not injure manure, according to the experience of many farmers, but horse manure is in dan-

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of James O'Brien, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Clara Mansur, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix thereof named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the seventh day of January, A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, or said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Clara Mansur, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix thereof named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eighth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

F. M. ESTY, Asst. Register.

gor of fire-fanging, unless mixed with cow manure or kept moist. When manure ferments it liberates a large percentage of its ammonia. If the manure is thrown into the yard, outside of the barn, and especially where the water from the eaves may fall upon it, a large amount of its plant food is lost to leaching. The percentage may range all the way from 25 to 50 per cent, depending upon the length of time it is exposed. On the other hand, if it is placed in a tight receptacle and fermentation prevented very little loss to the farmer results.

Practically none of the fertility of the manure is lost when applying it to the field, unless the land is hilly, in which case heavy rains may wash away some of the nutrients. The elements of plant food do not pass off until the manure ferments, and this will all be saved if the manure is drawn directly to the field.

RETURN OF MEXICANS

MINISTER OF WAR REQUESTS U. S. GOVERNMENT TO SURRENDER

FEDERALS WHO CROSSED BORDER

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 14.—A formal request for the return to Mexico of General Salvador Alvarado, who commanded the federal troops at Olinaga, together with his comrades who crossed into American territory is to be made to the United States government by General Aureliano Blanquet, Mexican minister of war, according to an announcement made by him today.

Broderick's, Lincoln, Fri. eve.

SAY HUNDREDS PERISHED

REFUGEES FROM ISLAND OF SAKURA THINK INHABITANTS OF 350 HOUSES ARE LOST

MIYAZAKI, Japan, Jan. 14.—A party of refugees from the island of Sakura arrived here today and reported that the inhabitants of 350 houses composing the village of Seto on that island lost their way in trying to reach the seashore and escape and probably all perished together. The refugees believe also that many others were drowned in trying to swim across the gulf to Kagoshima. The volcano of Sakurajima is said to have completely changed its form, several new craters having opened.

The hail of ashes ceased here today after lasting for 36 hours and a heavy rain has cleared the atmosphere.

New novelties, Associate Friday.

LOCAL CARMEN INSTALL OFFICERS



FRED CROWLEY President

Held Smoke Talk and Entertainment in Rooms Last Evening

Addresses by Messrs. Shine, Sproule, Bryne and Pres. Crowley

Smoking Set Presented to Chas. A. Gallagher, Retiring Secretary



JOSEPH POWERS Vice President

Division 280, the local union of the Street Railway Employees of America, installed its recently elected officers at the regular smoketalk held at its rooms in the Hannels building last evening.

Owing to the pressure of union business in Boston, Organizer Fred Fay, who had been expected to address the members, was not present, but another Boston leader, Thomas Shine, gave a routing address on the principles of unionism as it affected the destinies of the street railway men. In his remarks Mr. Shine referred to the loyalty with which the local conductors and motormen assisted their striking brethren in Boston during the recent street railway conflict. Another speaker whose remarks were listened to with deep interest was ex-President William E. Sproule. Mr. Sproule, who is one of the leading men in the Trades and Labor council, eloquently discussed the nine-hour law and pointed out the good effects it would have on the lives of the railway men. A visitor, Phillip J. Byrne of Braintree, walking delegate for the Beat and Shoe Workers' union, pleaded for unity in buying as well as in making goods, and emphasized the necessity of always demanding the union label on all possible purchases.

President Fred Crowley, presided and during the course of the evening spoke in a happy vein on the material good which the union already has accomplished for the railway men.

The musical program was carried through with marked success. This was opened by "Andrews' Doodle," which was sung by "Peg o' My Heart" with splendid effect. A classical composition was

next rendered by John Green with fine tone color. John Payne followed this with one of his rib-tickling monologues. Then Joseph Walsh of Chelsea sang "We Have to Hold to Love" with stirring emphasis, and John Molt, in unusually beautiful voice, gave some of his well known Scottish airs with rare sweetness. A trio consisting of James Lyons, Lindsay O'Brien and Jas. McNulty sang a medley of songs, which were enthusiastically applauded. This brought the musical program to a close.

A pleasant feature of the meeting was the presentation of a handsome smoking set to the retiring secretary, Charles A. Gallagher, in recognition of his long term of faithful service in this position.

The following officers were inducted into office: President, Fred Crowley; vice president, Joseph Powers; recording secretary, John J. Kelley; financial secretary and treasurer, Thomas C. Sullivan; yard warden, Thomas Griffin; night warden, Michael O'Brien; board of trustees, John Lyons, Emerson McLean and Joseph Shea; executive board, Patrick Fell, Martin McNamara, Michael W. Regan, Thomas Powers, Edward J. Donnelly, Junior, Patrick Lowe; correspondent to Motormen and Conductors, F. Keehey.

The success of last night's meeting was due to the untiring efforts of a committee headed by Patrick Fella.

STEAMER ABOVE WATER

MESSAGE RECEIVED BY COBEQUID AGENTS AT ST. JOHNS, N. F., THIS MORNING

ST. JOHNS, N. F., Jan. 14.—The steamer Cobequid was above water at 10 a. m. today, according to a message received by the agents here.

It was also reported that the government steamer Lady Laurier, had caught the Cobequid's distress call by wire. The Lady Laurier is on the way from Halifax and should be near Brier

Island, the reported scene of the wreck, by this time.

RACING TO RESCUE

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—The North German Lloyd liner Kronprinzessin Cecilie, reported yesterday, to be among the vessels racing to the rescue of the stranded steamship Cobequid, was passing Nantuxet at 4:30 a. m. today and should reach her dock shortly.

No word has been received by the line this morning from her commander as to whether he received the Cobequid's wireless calls for help.

Everybody is talking Asso, Friday.

FROZEN TO DEATH

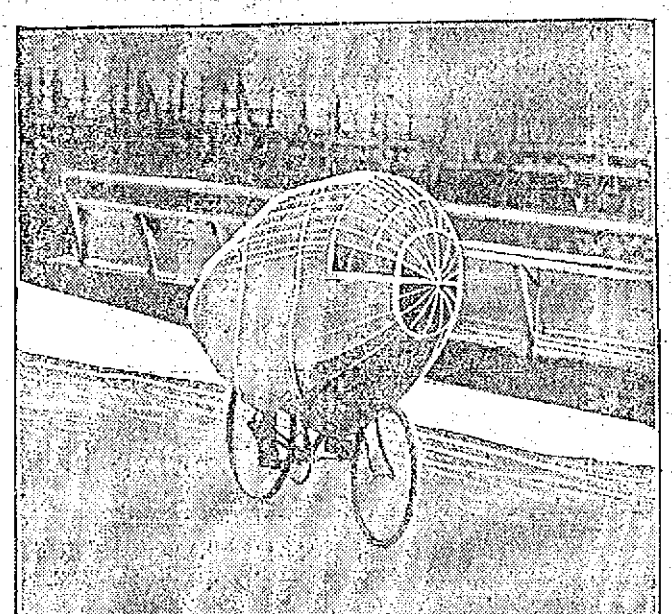
Body of Unknown Man Found at Worcester Today

WORCESTER, Jan. 14.—With three cents in the pockets, the body of an unknown man was found frozen stiff on Pleasant street here early this morning.

The city suffered severely from the continued cold today, with the mercury eight below zero at daybreak.

Ideal Campers, Associate hall, Friday.

NOT A COCOON ON WHEELS, BUT A BIKE RACER WITH WIND SHIELD



VARILLA RACING AGAINST TIME

Bunau Varilla, the Parisian, cycle racer, has invented a wind shield enabling him to break many records. It

is an egg shaped framework covered with silk. The illustration shows Varilla racing against time on a French track.

POLICE COURT SESSION

The docket at the police court this morning was exceptionally small, for there were but four offenders, three of whom were for drunkenness and the other for non-support of his wife.

Michael McCabe, who was fined \$5 for drunkenness last Monday, was in again this morning and the court ordered him to the common jail for a term of 20 days. Stephen L. Richards, a parole man from the state farm, was returned to that institution, while

WHAT TO DO FOR NEURALGIA

The one great symptom of neuralgia is pain, the one great cause is lack of nutrition for the nerves, in plain language—starved nerves.

There are two things to do for any form of neuralgia. Apply heat to the affected part to soothe the pain, and feed the nerves by taking a tonic containing the elements needed by them. Heat, as afforded by hot flannel, hot water bags, etc., lulls the inflamed nerves into temporary quiet. It does not cure. Not until the nutrition of the nerves is restored will the inflammation subside.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills furnish to the blood the needed elements and the blood conveys them to the nerves. The only way of getting food or medicine to the nerves is through the blood. Remember that.

Neuralgia is a general term. It means inflammation of a nerve. It is given different names according to the nerve affected. Sciatica is neuralgia of the sciatic nerve. Application of heat will soothe the pain in all forms of neuralgia, and Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will correct the condition that caused it.

Your own druggist sells Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., will send you a little book on "Home Treatment of Nervous Disorders" for the asking.

John Gray was also given a free pass to the same place.

Howard Bibeault pleaded not guilty to a complaint charging him with neglect to provide proper support for his wife, and his case was continued till Friday morning.

Chipmaw, Lincoln, Fri., Jan. 16th.

IMPORTANT TO ALL WOMEN

Thousands upon thousands of women have kidney or bladder trouble and never suspect it.

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